WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—East to southeast winds, fresh to strong at night; not much change in temperature; light scattered showers.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Southeast winds, becoming strong tonight; a little colder with scattered showers.

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YANGTZE RESCUE SHIP RIDDLED WITH BULLETS

SENTENCE IN VANCOUVER CHEQUE CASE

C. H. Cahan Jr. Ordered Today By Magistrate to Serve Three Months

Court Rejects Leniency Plea

VANCOUVER (CP)—Charles H. Cahan Jr., 50-year-old lawyer, today was sentenced to three months' imprisonment after conviction on a charge of issuing worthless cheques.

Cahan was arrested Thursday on a charge of robbery with violence in connection with the holdup Wednesday of a suburban branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in which a lone armed gunman escaped with a small amount of currency. Cahan is under remand till next Thursday on the robbery count.

Magistrate H. S. Wood rejected a plea by T. F. Hurley, Cahan's counsel in the worthless cheque charge, for suspended sentence, and also refused to fix a 20-day imprisonment term so the defendant might be freed before Christmas.

In urging suspended sentence, Mr. Hurley declared that possible future action of the British Columbia Benchers' Society might involve a greater penalty on his client than any inflicted by the court. Cahan, who has practiced here as a barrister for several years, "might suffer throughout his entire life as a result of the Benchers' possible future action," Hurley told Magistrate Wood.

PROMISE MADE

Mr. Hurley said restitution had been made in the cheque case, but the magistrate replied there had only been a "guarantee given that restitution would be made."

The magistrate then imposed a three-month sentence.

Mr. Hurley pressed unsuccessfully for reconsideration of the term, declaring Cahan wished to spend Christmas with his two young children—"something he has never had an opportunity to do before."

Tunnel in Moving Mountain

The collapse of a portion of the Elysian Park "moving mountain" in Los Angeles this week may have obliterated, for all time, the tortuous maze of hand-hewn, brick-lined tunnels under the hillside, recently explored, as shown above, by men seeking the truth of legends of buried treasure, subterranean warfare and intrigues of early Spanish settlers. In imminent danger from deep water, falling rock and the groaning mountainside above, the exploring party emerged from the underground labyrinth only a short time before a large section of the hillside collapsed and slid down on a highway.

FOUR TEAMS STILL TIED

Peden Brothers Among Teams in Final Bike Race Dash Tonight

NEW YORK (AP) — Four teams still were tied for the lead in Madison Square Garden's 63rd six-day bike race today at 11.00 a.m. (P.S.T.), nine hours before the finish of the grind.

Pacing the field were the Peden brothers, Torchy and Doug., of Victoria; Kilian-Vopel, Ignat-Diot and Allen-O'Brien combinations. Two other teams, Letourner and Debaets, and Walthour and Crossley were within striking distance of the lead.

The standings at 11.00 a.m.:

	M.	L.	P.
Kilian-Vopel	2378	9	612
Ignat-Diot	2378	9	486
Peden-Peden	2378	9	443
O'Brien-Allen	2378	9	275
Walthour-Crossley	2378		227
Letourner-Debaets	2378	8	225
Wals-Thomas	2378	2	374
Otevaere-Lepage	2378	2	280
Audy-Zach	2378	2	178
Georgetti-Rodman	2378	0	169

Earth Shocks Felt At San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—A slight earthquake was felt in the outlying residential districts here at 7.09 this morning.

Residents reported they felt another shock, somewhat stronger, about 7.19 a.m.

British Vessel Trying to Save Nine Quebec Nuns on Estuary Island Driven Off

More Than 200 Machine Gun Bullets From Japanese-occupied Bit of Land Hit Steamer Siushan, Killing Chinese Officer and Endangering Rev. A. Sansoucy and Capt. N. McMillan; Japanese Troops Demand Freedom to Enter Shanghai's International Settlement at Will

SHANGHAI (AP) — The British steamship Siushan was reported Saturday riddled with bullets from an undetermined source while on a mission of mercy to Japanese-occupied Tsungming Island, near Shanghai.

The vessel was attempting to rescue nine French-Canadian nuns who have been marooned on the island for about three months.

Among those aboard the 296-ton Siushan were Rev. Adrien Sansoucy, a French-Canadian missionary, and B. Boothby, a British consular official.

Boothby sought to rescue the isolated Canadian nuns, but his efforts were frustrated by the machine-gunning.

The chief Chinese officer was killed. A sailor and several passengers were wounded.

After more than 200 machine-gun shots had been fired, the little steamship's master, Captain N. McMillan, crept on his hands and knees under the spray of bullets to the wheelhouse. He reached the wheel safely and steered his vessel out of range.

British authorities said the Japanese, who have an air base on Tusungming Island, had been informed of the voyage in advance.

(Tsungming Island is in the mouth of the Yangtze estuary, between Shanghai and the China Sea.)

SETTLEMENT DEMAND

Japanese Saturday demanded freedom to enter Shanghai's International Settlement at will after their armed forces had twice encountered foreign resistance.

At the same time a representative of General Iwane Matsui, Japanese commander, demanded Settlement police prevent any repetition of the "victory march" attack on Japanese soldiers.

After a grenade thrower had scattered a column of 6,000 Japanese soldiers on parade Friday, a United States marine officer's protest forced a Japanese cordon out of the area guarded by United States troops.

Early Saturday French authorities blocked five Japanese army trucks from the French Concession, but finally permitted them to move supplies into the French area.

Gen. Matsui's representative reserved the right to take all necessary steps to avoid any recurrence of violence unless precautions by Settlement authorities were satisfactory.

Declaring the Japanese army regards Settlement police as in-

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Reunion in Shanghai

With the gleam of steel helmets and the clink of swords in the foreground, and the upraised arms of Japanese officers in the background, this picture summarizes the events of the summer and autumn in China. The officers congratulating each other in the foreground are Gen. Hikari Baba, left, head of the naval landing party, and Gen. Tatsuzo Iwashita, commanding the army forces around Shanghai.

Nanking Said To Be Burning

TOKIO (CP - Havas) — Domei (Japanese News Agency) reported late Saturday that, according to Japanese reconnoitering planes, Chinese troops had "apparently" set fire to Chingkiang and Nanking preparatory to withdrawing.

Japan Plans to "Protect" China

TOKIO (CP via Havas)—The confederation of autonomous provinces which Japan plans to create in north and central China will "assume responsibility for the protection and well-being of the Chinese republic as a whole," the newspaper Yomiuri said here today.

The Nichi Nichi predicted the Japanese government, announcing its policy regarding China before December 14, will declare its support of Chinese leaders who seek to organize such an autonomous confederation, and will take steps to assure its independence from external influences.

This newspaper emphasized the new regime will have no dealings with Premier Chiang Kai-shek or the Kuomintang (Chinese Nationalist Party).

Stolen Mail Bags Are Fished Out Of River At New York

Five Recovered; Six Missing; Negotiable Paper Totals $10,000

NEW YORK (AP)—Theft of 11 bags of mail from a United States mail truck Thursday night was disclosed by post office inspectors today after five of the looted sacks had been fished out of the East River.

J. J. Doran, inspector in charge, estimated the value of the missing mail at between $40,000 and $50,000, of which only about $10,000 would be negotiable.

The five recovered pouches were brought to the surface accidentally by an unemployed former Works Progress Administration worker, Peter Schieb, who said he had been fishing for eels near the Williamsburg Bridge.

BLOOD DONORS ANSWER CALL

Transfusion Needs of Four Sudbury Patients Cause Anxious Moments

SUDBURY, Ont. (CP)—Persons with blood of the group four type were sought by Sudbury medical authorities today in an effort to build up a "reserve list" of names to be called in emergencies. Four patients requiring that type of blood now are in St. Joseph's Hospital here.

An emergency developed at the hospital Friday night when the four patients required immediate transfusions. Blood of groups four and three, types which attending surgeons said were rare among average persons, was needed. Two anxious hours were spent before suitable donors were found and transfusions given.

Hospital authorities termed the emergency almost unprecedented. Of the four patients, two were hurt in accidents, the third is a child near death from anemia and the fourth is an aged woman.

CONSUL RESIGNS

WASHINGTON (CP) — The United States State Department today announced resignation of Samuel S. Dickson of Gallup, N.M., as consul at Vancouver, B.C., the resignation will be effective March 1, 1938.

House Endorses City Refunding

Measure for Victoria Debt Adjustment Approved Without Debate

Victoria's refunding bill was given third reading in the Legislature yesterday without debate.

Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Municipal Affairs, explained the proposed debt readjustment scheme and said he had a wire from the bondholders' committee assuring him that well over 51 per cent of them had agreed to the arrangement.

French-Polish Talks Today

Colonies Questions Comes Up As Delbos Has Chat at Warsaw

WARSAW (AP)—A round of diplomatic talks today between Yvon Delbos, French Foreign Minister, and Polish statesmen was generally expected by political observers to make clear to France that Poland, after Germany, is an applicant for colonies.

The need of an outlet for Polish emigration as a source of raw materials had been pointed out by press a few days before M. Delbos arrived to solidify France's alliances with the Warsaw government.

Authoritative French and Polish sources said difficulties developed before Delbos' talks with Polish leaders actually had begun. The French insisted Poland's troubled relations with Czechoslovakia be included in any discussion of means of pacifying Europe. The reply was that Poland was accustomed to iron out her difficulties with her neighbors alone.

ARMY DISCUSSION

That the French were eyeing the Polish army for still closer cooperation in event of war was indicated by the fact that Marshal Edward Rydz-Smigly, inspector of the Polish army, was second on M. Delbos' calling list today.

Marshall Rydz-Smigly was expected to renew the assurances he gave Major-Gen. Gustave Gamelin, chief of the French army general staff, on the latter's visit 16 months ago. That alliance remains the cornerstone of Polish military policy.

Canadian Farmers Big Show Winners

Take 29 Championships and 56 Firsts at Chicago Show Closing Today

CHICAGO (CP) — Dominion farmers and stock raisers demonstrated Canada's agricultural progress in a convincing manner during the eight-day International Livestock Exposition, which was ending its run today, by winning 29 championship ribbons and 56 first places.

The victories compared with 21 championships and 50 first places taken by Canadians at the 1936 show. Last year Canada ranked third among the honor winners, placing behind Illinois and Indiana. The place this year will be determined later, but it appeared certain Canada would be no lower than the 1936 position.

Six provinces shared in the glory and prizes that went north of the international boundary.

The main titles were 17 championships and 12 reserve championships. Best known of the honors in the wheat crown, virtually a permanent award for Canada, won this year by the sample submitted in the name of 13-year-old Gordon Gibson of Ladner, B.C.

The spread of the victories was significant. Canada scored most heavily in the International Grain and Hay Show, a department of the exposition, but its winnings in cattle and sheep were important.

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Man Declares He Outstared Wolf

ORANGEVILLE, Ont. (CP) — For 20 minutes, Jack McKibbon, Mono Township timber cutter, returned stare for stare with a big, shaggy wolf today, then the lobo "turned and walked away."

At least, so says Jack. He was cutting trees in the Hockley Valley, seven miles fom here, when the animal appeared from the underbrush.

Babies Die of Mystery Disease

Infection Sweeps Chicago Hospital, Killing 10 Infants

CHICAGO AP) — Physicians and scientists waged a concerted fight today against a strange disease that has caused the deaths of 10 babies and imperiled the lives of eight others during the last 11 days.

All the tiny victims were in the infants' ward of St. Elizabeth's Hospital. The disease, which killed most of the babies within 24 hours, was characterized by violent inflammation of the small intestines and was diagnosed as enteritis, or acute epidemic diarrhea.

The outbreak, confined to St. Elizabeth's Hospital, began November 23. Four babies died before the symptoms were fully recognized. The hospital immediately declined new obstetrical cases and isolated the other infants, but six succumbed and eight others were stricken. All of the latter were in serious condition.

The victims ranged in age from nine days to 24 days. Seven of them were girls.

Autopsies performed on the last two babies to die disclosed both had the same infection. In one, however, marked changes in the brain, which apparently had occurred just before death, led bacteriologists to believe the disease was caused by a virus or germ.

Dr. Herman Bundesen, president of the board of health, said there was no known defence against the infection, that it strikes without warning, and that its rate of mortality was about 50 per cent. The only recourse, he said, was isolation.

Public health doctors and nurses, summoned as soon as the disease was diagnosed, inspected the water supply, sewage, sterilizers and food formulas in a futile effort to discover a clue to the cause of the outbreak.

Buildings Burn In Saskatchewan

MOOSE JAW, Sask. (CP) — Four buildings were destroyed and damage of over $10,000 caused by a fire which broke out at Stranraer, north of here in the Rosetown district, early today.

A small garage owned by C. Mark, and a car in the garage were also lost in the blaze.

Conservatives Oppose Police Board Change

Typhoon Sweeps Toward Manila

MANILA (AP)—Another typhoon, the third within a month, was sweeping toward Manila Saturday night from the Pacific Ocean.

Weather observers reported the storm was approaching Samar Island just north of where the latest typhoon struck and cut a death-dealing path of destruction through the Visayan islands.

BULLETS END CHASE

LA GRANGE, Ind. (AP)—Robert Shaw, 27, hunted for the slaying Friday of Deputy Sheriff Harry Spice, was shot and captured today as he made a break from his hiding-place on a farm near here. He was reported not seriously wounded.

Plan for Victoria Commission Runs Into Snag in House

Victoria City Council's plan to change its police commission into a committee of the council ran into fierce fire from the Conservative Opposition in the B.C. Legislature last night and was stood over until the attorney-general produces the city's letter asking for the change.

Dr. J. D. Hunter, Conservative, Victoria, confirmed the fact that the City Council, by resolution, was asking for the change, but Herbert Anscomb, Conservative, Victoria, and R. L. Maitland, K.C., Conservative, Point Grey, came out strongly against it.

Mr. Anscomb insisted that there should be a plebiscite and Alderman W. T. Straith, Liberal, Victoria, explained that the council had faced the difficulty that a plebiscite could not be held until next Thursday when it would be too late for legislative action this year.

"This whole thing simply means that the county court judge refused to do his duty, so the council merely passed a resolution and the whole commission is changed," said Mr. Anscomb.

The bill removes the present system of the county court judge, the police magistrate and the mayor as the commission and substitutes the mayor and two aldermen chosen by the council and approved by the government.

"The present mayor made a campaign on the police commission issue," said Mr. Anscomb. "He said he was going to have a plebiscite. Why doesn't he?

"As for the judge. When he was appointed he knew he would

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CHRISTMAS SUPERSTITIONS

Old Wives' tales in Scotland spread the superstition that babies born on Christmas Day had the power not only to see spirits, but to command them also.

17 Shopping Days Till Christmas

Leopold Again Visiting London

BRUSSELS (AP)—King Leopold of the Belgians, traveling incognito, left today for his second visit to England in two weeks. He was accompanied by his mother, Queen Elizabeth.

Fascism Stated Seen in Quebec

LONDON (CP)—Charging a Fascist party is rising to power in Quebec province, The London Daily Herald, Labor newspaper, today declared the time has arrived for the people to act.

The paper said: "It is indeed an evil day in the history of the British Empire when it has to be recorded that there exists in the Canadian province of Quebec a Fascist party with some 80,000 members—many of them uniformed and armed.

"This party, reports show, is using all the demagogic tricks which brought Hitler to power in Germany . . . Only the people of Quebec province themselves can resist this attempt to introduce an altogether alien ideology into the free political atmosphere of Canada. Public opinion all over the empire will back them up in any such resistance."

One Companies Act For Canada

Manitoba Suggests to Rowell Commission Provincial Measures Be Ended

WINNIPEG (CP)—One Companies Act for Canada in place of the Federal and Provincial Companies Acts, was advocated today by R. N. Fisher, deputy provincial secretary of Manitoba, before the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial relations.

Legally the federal and provincial jurisdictions did not now overlap, Mr. Fisher said, but there was a practical difficulty in ascertaining whether a company's objects were provincial or interprovincial.

Administrative difficulties would be reduced by vesting sole jurisdiction in the Dominion Government.

The only objection to that might be questions of provincial taxation, Manitoba now deriving $40,000 to $50,000 a year from incorporations. The element of time in having to go to Ottawa might be an objection.

The uniform companies act now being considered by the provincial and federal companies officers would not overcome the

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BOY RECAPTURED

VANCOUVER (CP)—A youth, sought for several weeks after his escape from the Boys' Industrial School at Port Coquitlam, B.C., 15 miles east of here, was recaptured by city police today. Police reported the lad, who resisted arrest, had burglar's tools in his possession.

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Change Urged in Film Censorship

Barring of Surrealistic Movie at University of B.C. Brings Request

VANCOUVER (CP)—A petition asking the British Columbia government to change its regulations in regard to censorship of motion pictures was being prepared today by the Vancouver branch of the National Film Society for circulation among its members.

The protest arose from a ruling of the film censor board here forbidding showing of a "surrealistic" film at a film society meeting at the University of British Columbia Theatre Friday night.

Dr. D. A. Evans, society president, said that in other provinces of Canada film societies and universities were exempt from censorship regulations.

Railway Bombed In South China

HONGKONG (AP) — Chinese dispatches Saturday said Japanese airplanes had bombed the Hankow-Canton railway, by which the British charge d'affaires, R. G. Howe, was known to be proceeding towards Hongkong.

There was no indication, however, that the train carrying Britain's "portable embassy" had been endangered. British officials had notified the Japanese of Howe's plan to go by train to Canton, en route to Hongkong and Shanghai and Japanese were understood to have promised safety.

Seattle Service Stations Close

SEATTLE (AP)—Virtually all Richfield service stations here will be closed by tonight after using up their gasoline supplies, I. O. Heydenfeldt, Richfield division manager, said today. The Garage Employees' Union continued to picket the stations, preventing truck deliveries of more gasoline.

No progress was reported at a conference Friday between company representatives, the union and the Seattle Automotive Service Association, a group of service station owners. The union asks continuance of the previous wage scale in a new contract, which the station owners say is impossible without concessions by the oil company.

Cheques Forged In Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP) — Chief Constable W. W. Foster today repeated a warning to Vancouver shopkeepers, advising them to exercise care in cashing Workmen's Compensation Board, city relief and pension cheques for unidentified people. Col. Foster reported a number of forged cheques were in circulation in the city. Five, for sums totaling $152, were passed Friday, he said.

F. Mayo-Robson Funeral Is Held

WEST VANCOUVER (CP) — A funeral service was held here today for the late Frank Mayo Robson.

Mr. Robson was born in England 79 years ago and lived here nearly 20 years ago. He died at home here Thursday. He was a brother of the late Sir Arthur Mayo Robson, surgeon to King Edward VII.

Surviving him are the widow, two sons, two sisters and a brother.

Eleven Die in Wreck in Reich

STETTIN, Germany (AP) — Eleven persons were killed today when a train struck a group of railroad workers near Belgard, in northeast Germany. Seven others were injured, one seriously.

CONSERVATIVES OPPOSE POLICE BOARD CHANGE

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have to sit on the commission Why won't he sit?"

WILL NOT SIT

Alderman Straith explained that the judge had definitely said he would not sit on the commission. He had consented to continue the duties until the change was made.

"There has been plenty of publicity given this matter and no objections raised," he said. "It has been before the council several times. With the judge refusing to sit we would have been in the position of not having a proper commission."

"That's a foolish argument," retorted Mr. Anscomb. "In the first place, the judge can't resign. In the second place, the commission could operate without him because two makes a quorum."

"We don't want a police commission of two," said Alderman Straith.

Mr. Anscomb said if the magistrate had asked for the change he might agree that there was some justice in the claim of a clash between the two positions. But actually hardly 2 per cent of the police cases reached the county court judge.

Alderman Straith said it was true the judge could not resign, but there was nothing to force him to act if he did not want to.

Premier Pattullo entered the debate at this stage, and said the government had given the problem much thought.

"I admit it is fraught with difficulties," he said, "but I cannot agree with a man sitting in a judicial capacity on his own actions. The present system simply means that an administrative officer is judging his own acts."

Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Municipal Affairs, thought the police commission should be divorced from the courts.

"That may be all right," said Mr. Maitland, "but you have had no scandals in Vancouver under this kind of set-up like you had under the old one."

This precipitated a review of the entire history of the change in the commission in 1932.

"The Attorney-General of that time put it through and robbed the people of their franchise," said Mr. Gray.

"The council asked for it," said Mr. Anscomb.

"I remember it well," said Premier Pattullo. "The government of the day bludgeoned it through and then got the council to approve their actions."

DEATHS END AIR CONTEST

With Two Fliers Killed at Miami Third Racer to Be Withdrawn

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Two fire-blackened patches of debris formed mute epitaphs today for two of the most daring air race pilots in the United States as Miami's annual air show entered its second day.

The deaths late Friday of Rudy Kling, Lemont, Ill., and Frank Haines, Detroit, in crashes actuated a move to obtain withdrawal of a third pilot from remaining competition here.

Of the three crack riders of tiny and exceptionally speedy machines entered, only S. J. Wittman of Oshkosh, Wis., remained, and the contest committee planned to ask the erasure of his name from the list of competitors.

Only stock model airplanes, 75 to 100 miles an hour slower than the special racing ships of Wittman, Kling and Haines, would remain to fly for the prize money and trophies offered by the show.

Wittman won the race in which his brother fliers were killed. His average speed was 243.84 miles an hour and his closest stock model competitor had an average of 159.93.

YANGTZE RESCUE SHIP RIDDLED WITH BULLETS

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capable of effectively suppressing anti-Japanism, he also reserved the right to take any steps—including examination of persons and search of property—to quell hostile agitators.

The head of the International Settlement police accepted the memorandum containing Japan's demands, without committing himself. He explained it was necessary to pass it along to the council.

APOLOGY MADE

Three Japanese staff officers called on Brigadier-Gen. John C. Beaumont, United States marine commander, and apologized for their troops' intrusion on the American defence sector Friday. They explained the officer commanding the Japanese detachment was new to Shanghai and unfamiliar with the defence boundaries.

A spokesman for the Japanese high command previously had said the parade incident was closed. Two Chinese, including the grenade thrower, were killed; three Japanese soldiers, a Japanese policeman and a British police sub-inspector were wounded, and a day and night of tension followed.

A spokesman had expressed appreciation for the steps taken by Settlement and French Concession authorities to maintain order after the Japanese had drawn a cordon of bayonets around a 30-block area surrounding the scene of the outbreak.

The French removed a line of tanks, police and soldiers to allow Japanese trucks to enter their concession after an agreement with Japanese authorities. It averted what had threatened to be another incident involving Japanese and foreign nationalities.

TROOPS WITHDREW

Under strong pressure from foreign officials, the Japanese during Friday night had withdrawn their cordon from the heart of the International Settlement, ending what was undeclared but actual Japanese martial law.

Japanese army authorities meanwhile reported their forces definitely threatening Nanking, China's evacuated capital, and Chinkiang on the Yangtze River about 40 miles east of Nanking.

Reports from Hangchow, chief port and capital of Chekiang province, said Japanese were within 20 miles of the city and had not answered the appeals of foreigners to save the ancient cultural centre from bombardment.

British, United States and French authorities had given assurances that Hangchow was an unfortified city, that there was no Chinese garrison within its walls, and that Chinese troops would not retreat through it.

Fearful of Japanese bombardments and air raids, four-fifths of the city's native population, normally about 500,000, had evacuated, some were returning, however, hopeful the foreigners' efforts would succeed.

WENT FROM MONTREAL

MONTREAL (CP) — Rev. Adrien Sansoucy, aboard the British vessel Siushan, which was fired on in an attempt to remove nine Canadian nuns from the island of Tsungming today, is procurator for Canadian missionaries of the Jesuit Order in China. A native of St. Cesaire, Que., he formerly taught in Jean Breboeuf College, Montreal.

Tsungming, on the Blue River near Shanghai, is part of the vicariate apostolic of Mgr. Tchou, Chinese Jesuit.

Members of the Immaculate Conception mother house here refused to divulge the names of the sisters in charge of an orphanage on the island.

Belief that Father Sansoucy and the nuns had escaped harm was expressed by Jesuit fathers and members of the Order of the Immaculate Conception.

REPORT TO LONDON

LONDON (CP)—Word reached here from Shanghai today said nine French Canadian nuns, whose rescue from Tsungming Island, near Shanghai, was attempted today, had been missing for three months from the Immaculate Conception Mission.

NANKING WARNING

NANKING (AP)—The skeleton United States embassy here Saturday warned its nationals it may be necessary to quit the city on short notice, perhaps on Sunday, and take refuge aboard the U.S. gunboat Panay.

Chinese army officers admitted Japanese columns driving on Nanking were not more than 60 miles away. (Japanese reported capture of Tanyang, only 35 miles from Nanking.)

The Chinese military worked feverishly to prepare the capital, evacuated by its government, for a fight to the finish. All women, children and old men were being removed from villages within a radius of 20 miles to the east and south.

Long lines of troops moved through the city, including hundreds of fresh levies with nothing but rifles and bandoliers to mark them as soldiers. The supply of uniforms has run out.

A strong Japanese air squadron bombed the Ming Palace airdrome inside the city, destroying a building containing military stores. No lives were lost.

Paper Guarded At Bellingham

BELLINGHAM, Wash. (AP)—A police officer was stationed at the entrance of The Bellingham Evening News this morning after Publisher S. N. Harrison reported some of his employees had been prevented from going to work. About 25 pickets gathered at the newspaper office, which reopened Thursday after being suspended six months by a strike called by the American Newspaper Guild.

All of the reporters were induced to stay out of the office, but the mechanical force went to work. It was stated the paper would be issued today with telegraph news only.

Sixteen Killed By Greece Avalance

ATHENS (AP) — Sixteen peasants were believed killed today when an avalanche swept down on the village of Karditsa, in Thessaly. A corps of rescue workers rushed to the stricken town to dig out the victims.

WOODEN LEG BROKEN

SEATTLE (AP) — A fracture of a wooden leg was among injuries received by I. H. Pickering, 29, a cook, when an automobile hit a light pole today in west Seattle. His scalp was lacerated and possibly he received fractures of the ribs, but his condition was not serious, hospital attendants said.

Labor Reunion Talks Ended

Heads of A.F. of L. and C.I.O. Leave Problem in U.S. to Committees

WASHINGTON (AP) — Negotiations for a complete reunion of organized labor's rival factions in the United States neared collapse today after John L. Lewis and William Green failed to reach an understanding in two days of conferences.

The two leaders of 7,000,000 organized workers, ending their face-to-face peace meeting Friday night, announced they had made no agreement and did not expect to meet again.

They will report December 21 to the full peace committee of three American Federation of Labor representatives and 10 Committee for Industrial Organization delegates.

It was a sudden end to the conversations that began Thursday with fanfare and excitement.

Although many observers were pessimistic, they said the last chance for peace was not gone.

From persons close to the two labor leaders it was learned the conferees had made progress in so far as they weeded out many subordinate issues and complaints which had hampered the negotiations.

The big stumbling block, however, continued to be the issue of dual unionism—the rival network of industrial unions which Lewis has organized since 1935 in fields where the A.F.L. already had a foothold with craft unions.

Handing the stalemated problem back to the full committees, Lewis said, left the situation in status quo—the condition it was in when he and Green agreed to talk it over.

The only settlement proposal left, short of a complete unification of the two factions, will be a truce by which Green and Lewis would go their separate ways, linked by a joint committee handling common problems of labor and legislation.

One Companies Act for Canada

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present administrative difficulties, he said. It would only set up similar act.

WINNIPEG (CP)—Manitoba's complete brief on Dominion-provincial financial arrangements was before the Rowell Commission today—with a plain statement by Premier John Bracken that provincial default was the alternative to some such adjustment as his government was proposing.

The province had avoided default in the almost overwhelming strain of recent years only by measures so drastic it was no longer possible to continue them, the commission was told.

The plan the commission was asked to consider calls for a shifting to the Dominion of several responsibilities now borne by the provinces, including a substantial part of the provincial debt, so that provincial duties would be more commensurate with provincial income.

WHEAT CONTRIBUTION

"The question which faces the nation," Premier Bracken declared before thhe commission Friday, "is whether at a moderate cost western Canada will be retained as a region which will contribute in the future as it has in the past, large amounts of wealth to the nation—for example, wheat to the value of $7,000,000,000 in the last 28 years—or whether credit will collapse, sound government disintegrate and the control of its public affairs be given over to extremists and dominated by the economics of protest.

"If the latter course is taken, there is no way of supposing that the remainder of Canada can remain immune, socially, economically or politically, from the inevitable effects of such a choice."

MODERATE DEMANDS

Manitoba's plan, he said, was being offered as a reasonable proposal, with neither too much added obligation on the Dominion or too much added assistance to the municipalities, although protests would undoubtedly be heard from both.

It was a double-barrelled plan devised to cope with the accumulated financial burdens resulting from the depression and to give Canadians in this part of the nation in the future a reasonable standard of public service. This last it had been impossible to do on the limited tax base allotted the province by the Fathers of Confederation and on an income reduced by economic circumstances beyond the average for Canada.

Premier Bracken said the plan sought to "put the province and municipalities in such a position that with continued care in controlling expenditures they may be expected to meet their responsibilities in a reasonably acceptable manner."

DEBT REDUCTION

To reduce debt charges, which were eating up a large part of the annual income, the province proposed a plan requiring the co-operation of the Dominion Government, bondholders and the province, "one which will give the creditors a just return and a maximum of protection and to the province a reasonable adjustment in interest rates."

This would be done by the Dominion canceling relief debts of about $22,000,000 owing by Manitoba, and assuming full cost of relief and old age pensions in the future and half the cost of certain other social services.

The province proposed, also, that the Dominion take over $52,000,000 of the provincial debt, as capitalization of the annual subsidy from the Dominion, calculated at 3¼ per cent, and refunding of the remaining debt at that rate.

"If we were looking for the easy way out, though it would not be the most satisfactory, we would just suspend interest on our debt," Mr. Bracken said. "We think, looked at from all angles, our plan is the most reasonable solution."

Chairman N. W. Rowell suggested the bondholders might want some undertaking regarding future borrowing.

Mr. Bracken said his government was opposed in principle to a national loan council, but if that were essential to a satisfactory adjustment of the whole situation, it would be considered.

"We have unbounded faith in the future of western Canada if we are not hampered by other than inherent natural conditions," said the Premier.

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 5 a.m.—The severe storm off Queen Charlotte Islands is causing gales with rain on the British Columbia coast, where mild weather prevails, but it has become somewhat colder in the interior with light snowfalls, and it is cold throughout the prairie provinces.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.46; temperature, maximum yesterday 48, minimum 44; wind, 8 miles E.; precipitation, .01; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.46; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 44; calm; precipitation, .08; raining.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.70; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 36; wind, 40 miles S.E.; precipitation, .62; raining.

Langara—Barometer, 29.52; temperature, maximum yesterday 50, minimum 40; wind, 42 miles S.; precipitation, .68; raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.36; temperature, maximum yesterday 48, minimum 44; wind, 22 miles S.E.; precipitation, 1.20; raining.

Tatoosh—Temperature, maximum yesterday 50, minimum 46; wind, 18 miles E.; precipitation, .05; raining.

Seattle—Temperature, maximum yesterday 54, minimum 44; wind, 4 miles S.E.; clear.

Portland, Ore.—Temperature, maximum yesterday 54, minimum 42; wind, 4 miles E.; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday 64, minimum 52; calm; clear.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	48	44
Nanaimo	45	43
Vancouver	46	44
New Westminster	45	42
Dawson	2	— 4
Seattle	55	44
Portland	54	42
San Francisco	64	52
Kamloops	32	20
Prince George	26	18
Kelowna	37	
Penticton	38	30
Vernon	32	25
Grand Forks	34	--
Nelson	32	
Kaslo	39	20
Calgary	10	8
Edmonton	14	—16
Prince Albert	20	—13
Moose Jaw	24	0
Qu'Appelle	22	— 2
Winnipeg	22	10
Yesterday:		
Toronto	43	28
Ottawa	30	10
St. John	30	20
Halifax	32	30

Forecast

Victoria and Vicinity—East to southeast winds, fresh to strong at night; not much change in temperature; light scattered showers.

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B. H. Heide, general manager of the exposition for more than 30 years, spoke of Canadian exhibits in glowing terms.

"Canada has made a marvelous showing," he said. "In the face of competition which grows keener every year, they have taken more honors than ever before.

"This year's show was the best quality show of them all—there wasn't a tail-ender in competition — and it required real top quality to win.

"The show is becoming more and more international, too. This year 16 nations were represented in the grain exhibits. It shows that farmers over the world are watching the exposition."

The Dominion championships were in these classes: wheat, oats, field peas, field beans, barley, flax, rye, alfalfa seed, Aberdeen Angus bull, carload of lambs, wether lambs in grade and cross-bred, Cotswold fat Lincoln Shropshire and breeding Lincoln breeds, and Shorthorn bulls. First places were scattered through all of these divisions.

VANCOUVER (CP) — Fourteen-year-old Mary Emes died in a hospital here early today from injuries suffered Friday night when struck by an automobile as she was roller skating near her home.

Hospital attendants said the girl's chest was badly crushed.

An inquest will be held next Tuesday.

Police said no charges had yet been laid against the driver of the automobile, who reported he had failed to see the girl until too late.

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HELD FOR TRIAL

LIMA, Ohio (AP)—Virgil F. Effinger, reputed head of the Black Legion, and wanted in Michigan on a criminal syndicalism charge, was in custody here today. He surrendered Friday after a search of more than a year for him. The former contractor, who walked out of an extradition hearing at Columbus, August 25, 1936, was at his home here when police called there yesterday.

Tax Returns of Hoover Studied

But U.S. Treasury Official Denies There Is Political Motive in Check-up

NEW YORK (AP) — Prof. William Starr Myers of Princeton University said Friday he was "authorized to say that the present (Roosevelt) administration has investigated the income tax returns of Herbert Hoover for three years to try and get something on him."

He did not say what he meant by "authorized."

"Think of that," he said, "investigating the income tax returns of a former President of the United States."

Professor Myers, a well-known economist, made the remarks in an address in which he attacked several phases of the New Deal.

"It has become a war between political royalists and economic royalists," he said.

He advocated the disfranchisement of all on relief.

NO POLITICAL MOTIVE

WASHINGTON (AP) — A United States Treasury spokesman, replying to a charge of Professor William Starr Myers that former President Hoover's tax returns had been investigated, said: "The Treasury never investigates income tax returns for political purposes."

The spokesman declined to discuss Hoover's returns specifically.

Senators' Term Set By Lottery

HAVANA (CP-Havas) — Technique of the Cuban National Lottery as used Friday evening to decide which senators shall serve four years, and which eight years, in office, as from 1936. Similarly, two and four-year terms in the House of Representatives will be "raffled off" next Monday.

The unparalleled procedure is due to the modified constitution of June, 1935, which provides that half of the Senate must be renewed every four years, and half of the House every two years.

The opposition in the Senate suffered a setback when six of its 13 members drew the shorter term. The Senate elected in 1936, comprises 36 members. The 18 who drew short terms Friday evening must retire in 1940, when partial elections will be held to comply with the constitution.

SHANGHAI ARRIVALS

SHANGHAI (AP) — Large numbers of Japanese politicians, priests, geishas, taxi-dance girls and business men arrived in Shanghai Friday. They evidently believed the war for Shanghai was over and represented the advance guard of Japanese business infiltration.

Calgary to Pay Tax on Its Park

CALGARY (CP)—The city of Calgary will have to pay taxes, in arrears since 1933, and in future to the municipality of Springbank on Bowness Park, the resort six miles west of Calgary operated by the street railway department, and on the tram and electric lines connecting the park with Calgary, the Alberta Appeal Court ruled Friday.

In handing down the judgment the court affirmed a previous judgment of Mr. Justice W. C. Ives that the city was liable to the municipality for these taxes. Taxes unpaid the municipality for 1933 and 1934 amount to $1,742.12.

Canadian Pictures Sent to Scotland

OTTAWA (CP)—The National Gallery of Canada announced today 70 Canadian water colors would be sent next week to Edinburgh for exhibition there in January and possibly in other larger cities of the United Kingdom thereafter.

The exhibition, containing works of about 40 artists, will be the second of its kind to be shown in Scotland. The first, sent in 1933, attracted wide attention in the United Kingdom.

This show was arranged by the National Gallery in co-operation with the Royal Scottish Society of Painters in Water Color and the Canadian Society of Painters in Water Color in response to a request from the Scottish society.

Lone Gunman in Vancouver Hunted

VANCOUVER (CP)—A lone gunman armed with a black automatic, tonight locked A. C. Close, Vancouver chiropractor, in the waiting room of his downtown office and escaped with $137 in cash.

Close notified police after he had battered down a door and reached a telephone in his inner office.

The chiropractor said the man forced him to submit while his desk was searched. The bandit then ordered his victim into the waiting room and locked the door between the two offices. He also locked the outer door as he made his escape, leaving Close locked in the waiting-room.

B.C. Picks Site At San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO—W. H. Currie, assistant director of the Bureau of Provincial Information of Victoria, today advised officials of the 1939 Golden Gate International Exposition that British Columbia would require 2,000 square feet of space in the Hall of Western States and Provinces for its exhibit.

British Columbia has selected site No. 10 in the great structure which will house the exhibits of 11 western states in addition to that of the Canadian province. Neighbors geographicaly, British Columbia and the State of Washington will have their exhibits in adjoining sites in the Hall of Western States.

ORCHID PLANTS STOLEN

SOMERVILLE, N.J. (AP)—Orchid plants worth $3,000 have been stolen from the estate of Doris Duke Cromwell in the past month, police disclosed last night.

Chief County Detective Charles W. Allegar said an employee signed a statement admitting taking the plants from the orchid range. No formal charges were placed against him.

Sir James Douglas P.T.A. will meet in the auditorium on Tuesday, December 7, at 8 p.m. An invitation has been extended to candidates for school board to address the meeting, and pupils of grade eight will contribute some music. A short business meeting will be held at 7.30.

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J. Edgar Hoover Shows U.S. Bureau Returns Far Above Costs

NEW YORK (AP)—J. Edgar Hoover, director of the United States Federal Bureau of Investigation, reports "dividends" to taxpayers of $7 for every dollar spent on the bureau.

He said Friday that during the past four years the cost of operating the F.B.I. amounted to a little more than $18,000,000, while it was able to return "in savings, in fines and in recoveries of stolen goods a total of more than $116,000,000 above what it costs to operate the bureau."

Hoover, addressing the Association of Life Insurance Presidents, took occasion to attack parole systems (excluding the federal), the failure of police units to co-operate in the collection of statistical data and criminal records, jail conditions, "shyster" lawyers and other "weak spots" in United States police and court activity.

One Contest in Soviet Election

So Far Only Area With More Than Single Candidate Is Caucasus

MOSCOW (AP) — Voters of most districts in the first nation-wide election of the Supreme Soviet on December 12 face the alternative of voting for an unopposed candidate or not at all.

Komsomolskaya Pravda, official organ of the Young Communist League, explained that names must not be written on the ballots. If only one candidate's name appears, the voter has only to put the ballot in an envelope, seal it, and drop it into the ballot box.

Any marks on the ballot would spoil it, the newspaper said.

Since the name of each voter is checked on the registration list when he receives a ballot, those who fail to vote will be known, and Michael Kalinin, chairman of the All-Russia Central Executive Committee, has signified that everyone is expected to vote to show that the Soviet people are strongly united behind the red army.

Lists of the candidates thus far show one contest. This is in a north Caucasus district where there is a race between a locomotive engineer, a tractor driver and a combine operator.

FORESEE GAINS IN U.S. SENATE

Republicans, With Little to Lose, Expect to Capture Seats in 1938

WASHINGTON (AP)—Republican Party leaders, declaring the mathematics of the position favor them, are looking forward to the 1938 United States senatorial elections with high hopes of picking up some seats.

A record-breaking group of 30 Democratic senators must face the voters next November, including Senator H. T. Bone of Washington State, while only four Republican seats will be at stake.

This unequal division is a direct result of the Roosevelt landslide of 1932, which gave the Democrats almost a clean sweep of the senatorial elections. The senators elected that year will come up again in 1938.

Only nine of the Democratic seats at stake in next year's elections are from the "Solid South," where Democratic victories usually are assured ahead of time. That leaves 21 seats which Republican strategists count as "fair game."

Democratic leaders express hope of winning two seats now held by the minority.

Prairies Name Rhodes Scholars

WINNIPEG (CP)—Ruston Wm. Lawson, 20, son of Rev. Clark E. Lawson, Toronto, was chosen Manitoba Rhodes Scholar for 1936, the selection committee announced today. Lawson, fourth-year arts student at the United Colleges, University of Manitoba, will take up residence at Oxford University in October, 1938.

SASKATOON (CP) — Robert Gordon Robertson, son of J. G. Robertson, Saskatchewan livestock commissioner, Regina, was appointed Saskatchewan Rhodes scholar for 1938. The Rhodes scholarship committee, of which Sir Frederick Haultain is chairman, announced the selection Friday.

Ontario Man Is Freed of Murder

WALKERTON, Ont (CP) — Walter Turner, 34-year-old Dresden, Ont., resident, was acquitted by an assize jury Friday night of a charge of murder. The jury returned its verdict after nearly six hours' deliberation.

The crown charged Turner murdered his wife, Evelyn, in their home last February 25.

During the four-day trial, the defence contended the woman had died of injuries suffered when a woodpile fell on her. Dr. E. R. Frankish, provincial medico-legal expert, testifying for the prosecution, said he believed a pick on an axe head caused a three-inch fracture in the woman's skull.

FIVE DIE IN QUEBEC FIRE

Mother and Four Children Perish When Farm Home Burns

LAMOTTE, Que. (CP) — A young farmer grieved today over the deaths of his wife and four children in a fire which destroyed their home and belongings near this village 18 miles south of Amos.

Neighbors prevented the husband, Henry Miron, from attempting to rescue his family as the house went up in flames Friday. Sheltered at a neighboring farm today, he was without even his own clothing for there was no time to save a thing as the little frame building burned.

The wife, 23 years of age, was trapped in a second-floor room with their children, Martial, five; Henriette, four; Maurice, three, and Helen, one.

Miron, his wife's brother, Adjutory Fleury, and her father, Arnias Fleury, leaped to the ground from windows of the upstairs room where the entire group slept.

An overheated stovepipe was believed to have started the fire as the family slept.

In bitter cold, the men watched Mrs. Miron try to gain safety through heavy smoke with the youngest child in her arms. As she reached a window the floor collapsed beneath her and she fell into the inferno. Cries of the other three children could be heard for a while, then became hushed.

ROEBUCK TELLS OF "REPRISALS"

TORONTO (CP)—Arthur Roebuck, M.P.P., Attorney-General in the first Ontario Liberal government in 30 years, says he is still a Liberal despite his exclusion from the Liberal caucus and the loss of his patronage rights in the Toronto Bellwoods riding.

Mr. Roebuck stated Friday he had not expected reprisals in connection with his requested cabinet resignation last spring when he opposed his leader, Premier Mitchell Hepburn, on labor policies, would extend to "a few small Christmas jobs," but such has been the case.

Mr. Roebuck, though seated with the Liberal members in Ontario's 20th Legislature, received no invitation to the caucus held Friday shortly before prorogation.

Record Cattle Price at Fair

CHICAGO (AP) — An all-time high price of $1.10 a pound was bid Friday for the champion of the junior feeding contest at the International Livestock Exposition here.

Homer Graber, Mineral Point, Wis., farm youth, sold the junior titleholder, "Jerry." The animal weighed 1,200 pounds, making the sale price of $1,320.

The reserve champion of the junior contest sold for 51 cents a pound, more than double the 25 cents paid last year. Jack Mahlstedt of Geneseo, Ill., had the reserve winner, an Aberdeen Angus.

PREPARE FOR CONVENTION

FORT WILLIAM, Ont.—Norman M. Paterson has been appointed chairman of a ways and means committee to assist in formation of plans for the seventh Dominion convention of the Canadian Legion, to be held here January 31 to February 3, 1938.

TWO FACE TRIAL

ST. JOSEPH DE BEAUCE, Que. (CP)—Achille Grondin and his bride of a few weeks were committed Friday by Magistrate J. S. Couture for trial next January on a murder charge arising from the death of Mrs. Grondin's first husband from poisining.

Military Orders

1st BN. (16th C.E.F.) CAN. SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Duties for week ending December 11: Orderly officer, Lieut. S. J. McDonald; next for duty, Lieut. L. A. G. Rounding; orderly sergeant, Sergt. Langford; next for duty, Sergt. Knight; orderly corporal, L.-Cpl. Dronfield; next for duty, A.-Cpl. Redgrave; orderly bugler, Sgt.-Bugler Drysdale; next for duty, Bugler Drysdale; orderly drummer, Drmr.-L.-Cpl. Beckwith; next for duty, Drmr. Shepherd; duty company, D Company; next for duty, HQ company.

Battalion muster parade, Monday, in company rooms at 1955 hours. Dress, drill order.

Recruits training will be held on Monday if time permits, after the muster parade. All recruits will attend the muster parade and will fall in with D company. Instruction will be continued on Thursday under the Recruit Instructor at 2000 hours.

Battalion school for N.C.O.'s, Thursday. All available N.C.O.'s will attend and will assemble at 2000 hours for instruction. Dress will be optional.

Swagger stick awards— Pte. McDowall and Pte. Eastveld.

C.I.A. sand table exercise—The following officers are detailed to attend at N. 3 Hut, Work Point Barracks, at 1400 hours, to participate in this exercise: Major R. D. Travis, Captains W. S. Olivers and J. D. Horne, Lieuts. S. J. McDonald, J. M. Rockingham, W. J. Mosedale and D. L. Meharey, 2nd Lieuts. E. A. Stewart, K. S. Crabtree and C. E. C. MacNeill. Dress will be mufti.

The monthly meeting of the Regimental Sergeants' Mess will be held on Thursday, 2100 hours; blue undress.

An entertainment will be held in the Sergeants' Mess on Friday, December 17, commencing at 8.

Attestation — Pte. Gibson.

Leave of absence—Capt. F. N. Cabeldu.

Transfer—C.Q.M.S. E. R. Callaghan, B Company to D Company.

Appointment—C.Q.M.S. E. R. Callaghan, "D", to be Acting C.S.M. during the attachment of No. 1204 C.S.M. R. F. Guyton to No. 1 Platoon, H.Q. Company.

2nd BN. (M.G.) CAN. SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Duties for the week ending December 11: Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. H. L. Alexander; next for duty, Lieut. N. J. Williams; orderly sergeant, Cpl. E. Carter; next for duty, L.-Sergt. A. F. Garnot.

Strength increase—Pte. T. L. Cann, Pte. W. A. Dennis, and Pte. A. G. Smith.

17th FORTRESS COMPANY R.C.E.

The 17th Fortress Company of the R.C.E. will parade at company headquarters at 2000 hours, on December 9. Dress, mufti. Section drill, lecture and diesel engines.

To be orderly sergeant for the ensuing week, L.-Srgt. R. Mowat.

Strength increase—Spr. C. V. Molesworth and Spr. L. V. Carver.

All clothing and equipment on issue must be returned to store not later than December 9.

The W.O.'s and N.C.O.'s will hold a meeting at 2200 hours on December 9.

6th DIVISIONAL R.C.A.S.C.

Orders for the week ending December 11: Orderly officer, Lt. J. F. S. Clark; next for duty, 2nd Lieut. K. Morris; orderly sergeant, Cpl. Simpson; next for duty, Sergt. Flood.

Both companies will parade at the Armories at 2000 hours, on December 7. Dress, drill order.

Syllabus, lectures on discipline, corps', ammunition and corps' petrol parks, and the system of supply in the field.

Members are reminded that they are required to write an examination of general subjects at the forthcoming inspection of the unit.

A meeting will be held at this parade to discuss the annual turkey shoot and company smoker.

13th FIELD AMBULANCE R.C.A.M.C.

The unit will parade at the Armories on December 7. Fall-in and roll call at 2000 hours. Lectures on St. John first aid and military qualifications at 2015 hours. Squad and stretcher drill at 2100 hours. Dress, drill order only.

5th (B.C.) COAST BRIGADE R.C.A.

Duties for week ending December 11: Orderly officer, Lieut. C. Jervis Read; next for duty, Lieut. W. V. T. Allen; orderly sergeant, L.-Sergt. J. Wormald; next for duty, L.-Sergt. A. G. McLean.

All units of the brigade will parade on December 7, at 1955 hours. Following roll call, the brigade will be turned over to Lieut. G. C. D'Arcy, brigade sport officer, for sports and gymnastice.

Those wishing to participate in both calisthenics and rifle shooting must register for the latter early enough to complete their series prior to 2100 hours.

Battery representatives for the brigade sports committee will report to the brigade sports officer not later than December 7.

December 10 — Brigade sports available will comprise badminton, basketball, volleyball and table tennis. The swimming tank will be open from 2115 hours.

The brigade Christmas turkey shoot will be held at the Armories on December 7 and 14. Distribution of prizes will take place on December 21.

The brigade Christmas tree will be held in the Armories on December 27 at 1430 hours. Members with children under 12 must hand in their names to brigade orderly room by December 7.

The commanding officer congratulates all ranks of the 55th Heavy Battery in their success in winning second place in the C.A.A. competitions in general efficiency, gun practice and efficiency of personnel for coast artillery.

Strength increase—Gnr. B. E. Harrison and Gnr. C. Clark.

Transfers — Bdr. F. D. Nelson, Gnr. W. H. Webster and L.-Bdr. R. J. Barr, to 60th Battery.

MINER LOSES LIFE

DRUMHELLER, Alta. (CP)—Louis Giaconnuzi, 50, was killed Friday by a fall of coal which he was prying from the roof of his working place in the Jewell Mine near here.

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Europe Goes Hectic Again

IF THE NEWS FROM EUROPE IN THE last few days may be taken as an accurate reading of the international political barometer in that part of the world there would appear to be more than ordinary cause for alarm. But we are becoming more or less immune from serious reactions to new moves over there, and still less susceptible to undue concern over the fulminations of the Fascist chieftain at Rome and the Nazi Fuehrer at Berlin. Yesterday's dispatches, however, contained a considerable amount of conjecture mixed with information from the principal capitals upon which a lively imagination could find plenty to do.

Among other things, we are told that Britain's Secretary of State for War Leslie Hore-Belisha has made several drastic changes in the higher commands of the British Army, chiefly by appointing younger men to the more responsible positions. This has been done in defiance of the traditional military creed of advancement by seniority. Advocates of the altered procedure took the view that as long as control of the Army Council remained in the hands of "elderly generals" other countries, remodeling their fighting forces to meet the changes which scientific development has wrought, would retain valuable advantages. It has been argued also on many occasions since the rearmament race was taken up by Great Britain that the British Navy and Air Force were far more advanced in methods of direction than the army. It is noteworthy, moreover, that the press is almost unanimous in its approval of the course Mr. Hore-Belisha has taken.

Another development within the last 48 hours is the decision of France's Foreign Minister Yvon Delbos to take 17 days off from routine duty to visit the capitals of Poland, Czechoslovakia, Roumania and Jugoslavia. He will carry with him the assurance to the governments of these four countries—which include the Little Entente nations—that Great Britain and France will permit neither Germany, nor, presumably, Italy, anything in the nature of a "free hand" in Central Europe. This may be taken as a warning in a new form to the two partners in the Berlin-Rome axis that it will be decidedly to their own advantage to take British-French co-operation rather more seriously than their frequent verbal outbursts suggest. The Allies on either side of the Channel, by the way, are rapidly going ahead, extending in some directions, with their rearmament programme.

Reichsfuehrer Hitler already has said that if Britain and France think the problem of restoration of the former German colonies can be disposed of in some general plan of international pacification they had better think again. Belgium has announced her implacable refusal to give up any of the territory added to the Belgian Congo by the Treaty of Versailles. Italy, on the other hand, some time ago came out enthusiastically in support of Germany's demand she be allowed to return to her "place in the sun"—taken to mean that Mussolini, although he has not said so, is willing to turn over to Herr Hitler the war boodle now attached to Italian possessions in Africa. Italy's latest snarl is at the proposed negotiations for a new trade deal between Great Britain and the United States. She makes out, by an editorial in Il Popolo d'Italia, Mussolini's journalistic mouthpiece, that this new development is gall and wormwood to her. This is part of the newspaper's comment: "The Anglo-American commercial accord (this is somewhat premature) is the most recent example used to demonstrate the existence of other means besides military measures to defend peace. . . . That war is made with money is true, provided the phrase is completed by saying money always is found to wage war."

There is sufficient in these recent "alarms" to start almost anything, but several deterrent factors in the general situation ought to prevent the commission of the overt act. For example, despite what Il Popolo d'Italia says in its editorial columns, Italy cannot find the money to go to war, and the supplies of raw material which she would have to have would instantly be cut off if she were to do so. Germany is in a similar predicament—but perhaps might be able to back up Hitler's wordy fury more effectively than Italy could Il Duce's—and, in addition, wants to work Britain, if she can, for favors much more important to her than any significance which may attach to the Berlin-Rome axis or even the German-Japan-Italy anti-Communist pact.

Then there is obvious to all a mental picture of what a major conflagration in Europe would be like. A reflection on this usually follows quickly on each fresh crop of alarms such as have popped up in the last few days—after the storm, the calm of sweet reasonableness.

The Fascist nations have decided to combat Communists wherever they appear. A Communist is anybody who has something a Fascist wants.

B.C. Produces Wheat King

HERMAN TRELLE, FIVE TIMES WINner for Alberta of the world's wheat championship at the Chicago Livestock Exposition, said last year he did not think British Columbia's Delta region could produce hard wheat of a variety good enough to do a world-beating job. Ladner farmer W. G. Gibson, entering his exhibit for his 13-year-old son, Gordon, has proved otherwise and has just won the trophy for this province for the first time. Congratulations to Farmer Gibson and his son.

Here is the lengthening list of Canadian wheat kings and their years of triumph since 1911:

Seager Wheeler, Saskatchewan, 1911-14-15-16-18.
Henry Holmes, Alta., 1912.
Paul Gerlach, Saskatchewan, 1913.
Sam Larcambe, Manitoba, 1917.
J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan, 1919-20-24.
R. O. Wyler, Saskatchewan, 1922.
Major H. G. L. Strange, Alberta, 1923.
Jos. H. B. Smith, Alberta, 1929.
Frank Isaackson, Saskatchewan, 1933.
John B. Allsop, Alberta, 1934.
W. Frelan Wilford, Alberta, 1935.
Herman Trelle, Alberta, 1926-30-31-32-36.
Gordon Gibson, British Columbia, 1937.

A Social Credit Setback

ALBERTA'S SOCIAL CREDIT CANDIdate in the Lethbridge provincial by-election came in second in a straight fight Thursday. This was the first defeat of the Aberhart party in a constituency made vacant by a Social Credit member since the general elections on August 22, 1935. The votes on Thursday were divided as follows:

Dr. Peter M. Campbell, Unity Party	3,980
Mr. A. J. Burnap, Social Crediter	3,210
Majority for Campbell	770
In the 1935 Election	
Wright, Social Credit	3,700
Barrowman, Liberal	1,946
Green, Conservative	341
Smeaton, Labor	654
Majority for Wright	759

Dr. Campbell describes his victory as proof that "Alberta is returning to reason." Mr. Burnap explains it this way: "Against the combined opposition, I consider this a victory for Social Credit." However, the figures can only be interpreted as indicating a definite change in public opinion in the riding. The result must therefore be put down as a major loss for Social Credit.

Meeting The Fascist Threat —With Open Arms

HOW THE CHAMBERLAIN CABINET IS bearing the torch of democracy in Europe and maintaining British prestige throughout the world as revealed by a London news dispatch this week:

"Sharp disagreement is developing among leaders of the dominant Conservative Party, it was disclosed today, over the best means of meeting the dangers Britons see in the 'Berlin-Rome axis' of co-operation between Germany and Italy.

"The disagreement extends into the cabinet. Specifically, it concerns the view of one faction that it is necessary to seek at once a friendly agreement with Germany and the view of the other that it would be better to seek agreement with Italy."

Notes

In the rush for raw materials, almost any nation would sell its birthright for a mess of potash.

A man is a person who buys his wife's Christmas present in November and decides he might as well give it to her now.

Time magazine is trying to pick the man of the year. If it means the one who has got away with everything he has tried to do, there is only Mussolini.

The patient strategy of the anti-Fascist nations is perhaps understandable. We all hate to start raking up the leaves when we know they will keep on falling.

CAN SUCH THINGS BE IN CANADA?

From Toronto Saturday Night

The English-speaking population of the province of Quebec, the great majority of whom would be strongly in favor of the film "The Life of Emile Zola" on both artistic and political grounds, are prohibited from seeing it by the Board of Censors of the province. It is not suggested that any question of what is ordinarily known as "decency" or "morality" enters into the prohibition.

This situation appears to us to be highly unsatisfactory. When the censorship of films was first established in Quebec as in other places, the film was a silent vehicle, and every picture could be considered as appealing equally to the French-speaking and English-speaking elements of the population. In these circumstances there could be little complaint if the restrictions desired by the French-speaking majority were imposed on everything that came along for exhibition. But now that films are definitely either French or English, the English-speaking element of the population has surely a right to demand that its views shall have some consideration in the censoring of serious English-language films. The English-language theatre—so long as there was one—always enjoyed complete freedom in Montreal from the limitations as to subject and treatment which were imposed upon the French theatre, and no harm seems to have resulted from this arrangement. We earnestly hope that the English-speaking people of the province of Quebec are awake to the implications of this new use of a censorship originally established in the interests merely of decency and not of repression of ideas.

Across the Bay

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

HARD LABOR

HOW MUCH it is accomplishing is another matter, but this House is working a lot harder these days than the electors who sent it here. It is working in defiance of the government's eight-hour day law and all the laws of health. It is working morning, noon and night, and it is beginning to show the strain, in long stretches of lassitude and sudden flashes of temper.

Thus when Premier Pattullo gave notice on Friday that he was going to speed up a little, the opposition said this was going too far, going further than human flesh could bear. At this time in the session, of course, an opposition becomes a mighty important and often a highly inconvenient article to have around, for in the dying hours it can easily knock all the government's well-laid plans for prorogation into a cocked hat. If it wanted to, the opposition could keep us here beyond Christmas. So it must be listened to.

The Premier listened with a sweet reasonableness when Mr. Maitland protested against the Premier's plan to work all day Saturday and hold three sessions every day next week. There was no need to rush, said Mr. Maitland, as if he were ready to stay here all winter, and Dr. Telford said really he couldn't keep up with all that was going on around here lately, what with committees in the morning and the House all afternoon and most of the night.

Young Mr. Winch, with his weakness for drama, loudly demanded that the government obey its own labor laws, observe its Hours of Work Act, set an example to other employers, instead of working its poor employees, the members of this House to the bone.

Tut, tut, said the Premier, who knows better than any man that an opposition must be humored at a time like this, not pushed too far, lest it get ornery and kick back. Tut, tut, said he, perhaps remembering that the little opposition fillibuster of Thursday had practically wasted a whole day.

Tut, tut, there was no intention of rushing, said he, but it would be nice to get finished next week. After all, it was only for the comfort and convenience of the members themselves that the government wanted to wind things up.

The opposition muttered, but the resolution fixing three sittings a day all next week carried. If the Premier can keep the opposition half-way sweet it should be possible to finish by next week-end. Everything will depend on the passage of the labor arbitration act and the new coal and gasoline legislation.

STUBBORN FIGHT

MOST OF Friday afternoon was devoted to Mr. Cameron's bill which would guarantee free access into industrial settlements and camps—a measure which the government voted down overwhelmingly. But not before the C.C.F. had put up a stubborn fight and Mr. Perry had delivered one of his cultured lectures on Communism and anarchy, which was entirely out of order but so intriguing that no one tried to stop him.

The serious work of rejecting the Cameron act was done by the Premier and Mr. Pearson, who considered it worthless and troublesome, and the serious work of advocating it was handled by the two Winches, Dr. Telford, Mr. Guthrie and Mrs. Steeves, but all in vain.

Mr. Uphill happened to drop in about this time and, feeling in the humor for eloquence, found the Cameron act an excellent peg to hang a speech on. It was a speech on British freedom, climaxed by the announcement that he was free to come and go anywhere in British Columbia because he was known to be half-witted, and no one was afraid of him. On the whole, he thought that in British Columbia half-witted people always succeeded best—this with a sly look about at those who had succeeded in getting into this assembly.

LASSITUDE

THE REST of the afternoon was a period of dull-eyed lassitude, in which real progress was possible. By dinner time a large accumulation of small legislation had been cleared from the order paper, finally passed and committed to history and in the evening another large accumulation followed.

Mr. LeBourdais provided the only light spots of the night by his naive sales talk on his new beef grading bill, which Dr. MacDonald introduced but good-naturedly turned over to him, its real author. The House roared as Mr. LeBourdais, once a top cow hand himself, told how the cowboy had been crowded out by the economic pressure of these times until in some places in the Cariboo he was reduced to the last humiliation of herding turkeys instead of beef cattle. Worse, many a bronchobuster of the open range had been forced to earn a living by crooning on the radio.

This, said Mr. LeBourdais, was all right for cowboys who could croon, but many of them couldn't croon and had no turkeys to herd. And he waved aloft one of Dr. Weir's public school readers and protested that the rules of health set down for B.C. children say that they shouldn't eat much meat. How, asked Mr. LeBourdais, could cowboys with no crooning voice expect to make a living when children were taught not to eat good beef, the healthiest food in the world? Dr. Weir looked as if he didn't know, but, then, he never was a cowboy.

AND THEN THE ANTHEM

From The Fort Erie Times-Review

A St. Thomas minister recently condemned Ontario's beverage rooms in his sermon. Later in the service the anthem "O Taste and See" was sung.

FIRST LOCATED THE DEER

From The Peterborough Examiner

The Scotsman of Wingham who located his deer before getting a license and then went back to shoot the animal might make a great provincial treasurer.

Eastern Tories Declare Party State "Deplorable"

By NORMAN M. MacLEOD

OTTAWA.

THINGS have come to such a pass in federal Tory circles that another defeat now means about the same to the dauntless defenders of the Dominion's once dominant political faith as an extra dash of water does to a duck's back.

The party's hopes unquestionably have suffered a rude jolt in the highly disappointing result of the Victoria by-election. It is impossible, of course, to argue a national significance from a purely local contest. Now that they have lost, the federal Tories are emphasizing that fact. The truth remains, however, that if the shoe had been on the other foot and the Conservative candidate had been elected, the Tories would have proclaimed the result as Dominion-wide in its significance. The contest would have been hailed as marking the turning point in the party's fortunes.

Instead, the Conservatives, who sought to make the by-election the first testing ground for the government's new trade policy, find themselves compelled to insist that the Victoria voters did not recognize this issue, but were influenced by the Minister of National Defence, Hon. Ian MacKenzie, to believe that the government's policy of Pacific Coast defences might be affected by the way the riding voted.

THE TORY defeat came dramatically upon the heels of an open demand for thorough party re-organization voiced a few hours earlier by George H. Dunbar, recently elected Conservative member of the Ontario Legislature for the riding of Ottawa South. Addressing the annual meeting of the Ottawa Women's Conservative Association — at which Mrs. W. D. Herridge, sister of the federal Tory chieftain, was re-elected president by acclamation—Mr. Dunbar indulged in some remarkably plain speaking.

Reorganization of the Conservative Party, he said, was badly needed. The party was facing a more difficult time than for the past few years; it had a lot of things to live down, and something more progressive had to be offered to the people if it was to live on. It was deplorable that the present platform was not big enough for all peoples of all creeds and nationalities to stand on.

Much of what Mr. Dunbar said was intended as comment on the Ontario provincial, rather than upon the federal, party outlook—especially a frank opinion that Hon. W. Earle Howe should not be leader in the province after he had taken a federal seat. At the same time, the Victoria result followed sufficiently dramatically on the heels of his general remarks to be regarded as giving them considerable point and pertinence.

The fact that the Conservatives are busy explaining the Victoria defeat does not make the victory any less useful to the Liberal cause. The government obviously stands in a position to say at the approaching session of Parliament that the Tory chieftain himself appealed to a traditional Conservative stronghold to reject the government's new trade policy—and that the constituency turned down his appeal.

FROM the Liberal standpoint, the next major development of political interest promises to be the appointment of James A. MacKinnon, Liberal M.P. for West Edmonton, as Minister without Portfolio in the federal cabinet. The reason for Mr. MacKinnon's prospective promotion lies in the fact that Aberhart partisans have been busy—and partially successful—in spreading propaganda to the effect that Alberta's interests are subordinated to the neighboring province of Saskatchewan, as Hon. James G. Gardiner, Saskatchewan minister, has been looking after Albertan affairs generally in the cabinet. Appointment of an Albertan—Mr. MacKinnon was the lone Liberal elected there—with a voice in the cabinet will meet, government circles hope, these allegations successfully.

Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "The pen is broken, but I can fix it."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "mechanist"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Tenable, temporal, tension, tensill.

4. What does the word "fatuity" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with add that means "capable of being brought forward as a reason"?

Answers

1. Say, "The pen is broken, but I can repair it." 2. Pronounce mek-a-nist, e as in met, a unstressed, accent first syllable. 3. Tensile. 4. Stupidity; folly. "Those many forms of popular fatuity."—L. Taylor. 5. Adducible.

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LONDON.

STORIES to the effect that the Duke and Duchess of Windsor have decided never to return to England turn out, according to The Week, on careful investigation, which is more than you can say for most stories on the subject printed locally, to be untrue being—

Either honest misunderstanding of the true position, natural enough in the environment of that queer embittered little subcourt which has collected itself around the ex-King of England or "Kites" flown by publicity men of this kind and that, who think that such a thought has only to be uttered for a large volume of opinion to rise up and say "perish the thought."

AUNT SALLY

The publicity men in question, and for all we know the Duke himself, appear to have been influenced somewhat by the Duchess's accounts and analysis of the letters received from England during the past few weeks. The Duchess claims the letters are showing a pick-up in sympathy, not to mention that highly elastic Anglo-British conception "good taste."

She gets, or was getting, according to herself, a couple of weeks ago around 800 per day.

She reads them all.

They used to be predominantly letters full of the most imbecile abuse, apparently from people who thought they had at least a couple of bishops behind them in letting themselves go for once. "Harlot" was their simple theme tune.

In the peculiar circumstances of the Windsor menage these letters were, it seems, for quite a while taken as a serious indication of the "state of public opinion," much in the same way as some people imagine that if they hear a man in the Paris Metro cursing the government a "wave of hostility to the Front Populaire" is sweeping Paris.

THE CHANGE

Quite recently there has been a change, which means exactly as little as the first phase, though it seems the Windsors do not know that.

The change is so considerable that it has aroused, at least in the mind of the Duchess, the idea that after all the return to England will not be nearly as difficult as it once looked.

On the basis of this idea, which maybe was just an idea in her mind which she was too unguarded to conceal from the immediate entourage—including a number of people of whom it is only fair to say that they would be dangerous if they were not idiotic, and negligible if they were not experienced ruffians.

It is they who, with typical "slyness" imagine that the thing to do about it is to put out a lot of stories saying they are never coming back in the hope that everyone will say, oh but you simply must come back.

And the fact is, they think they will get back.

WANTS DIVORCE LAWS MODERNIZED

To the Editor:—May I make use of your columns to ask if any of the political parties are in favor amending the present Canadian divorce laws in line with the bill recently passed in Britain.

Is any one sufficiently progressive, to sponsor this long-overdue legislation in the near future?

Is it too much to expect at such a time, a definite declaration on a possibly contentious subject?

May I add that throughout the Dominion there must be literally thousands of innocent men and women, victims of desertion by their erstwhile partners, who have no redress or hope of ever freeing themselves from their unhappy predicament.

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THE PASSING ON of Ramsay MacDonald — twice Prime Minister of England — recalls a thrilling experience he had in the early days of the World War when he was unexpectedly precipitated into the thick of a battle near Ypres. The story is told by General J. B. Seely (in his autobiography "Adventure"). Mr. MacDonald had gone to France to visit a hospital run by the Society of Friends. General Seely—then a colonel—offered to show him something of the front lines. They started off in a car when suddenly they came under severe rifle and machine gun fire. The car was hit but, fortunately, neither occupant was touched.

"Tumble out, Ramsay, we must get into this ditch," shouted Seely, an old friend of Mr. MacDonald's.

AT THAT MOMENT a number of batteries of French 75s opened a tremendous fire on the German trenches which were about 200 yards away. Simultaneously the French infantry rose and ran forward. Seely and MacDonald followed them. Running breathlessly they both jumped into a support trench full of French soldiers.

"The French were astonished beyond measure to see an English colonel and a civilian jump into their trenches," recalls Seely. "One man said we were spies, and might as well be shot, but I crawled along to an officer and explained the position to him."

AS IT WAS they had to sit tight in the trench until the battle ended.

"It is only right to record that during this exciting episode Ramsay MacDonald behaved with the utmost coolness," adds General Seely, who later commanded the Canadian Cavalry Brigade, by the way. "But when finally Mr. MacDonald arrived at the Friends' Hospital he was covered with mud from head to foot."

PLAYING WITH LIGHTNING!

The devastating tongue of the late Lord Birkenhead, eminent lawyer, jurist and statesman — better remembered, perhaps, as plain F. E. Smith — is recalled by a story about him told by Winston S. Churchill (in his brilliant book, "Great Contemporaries"). It dates back to the days when F. E. Smith was a young barrister and, says Mr. Churchill, "there can scarcely ever have been a more sustained, merciless interchange than took place between him (Smith) and Judge Willis in the Southwark County Court."

HERE IT IS:

"A boy who had been run over was suing a tramway company for damages. F. E. Smith appeared for the company. The case for the lad was that the accident had led to blindness. The judge, a kindly if somewhat garrulous soul, allowed sympathy to outrun discretion.

"'Poor boy, poor boy!' he exclaimed. 'Blind! Put him on a chair so that the jury can see him.'

"This was weighing the scale of justice, and F.E. was moved to protest.

"'Perhaps your honor would like to have the boy passed round the jury box,' he suggested.

"'That is a most improper remark,' exclaimed the judge.

"'It was provoked by a most improper suggestion,' was the startling reply.

"JUDGE WILLIS tried to think of a decisive retort. At last it arrived.

"'Mr. Smith, have you ever heard of a saying by Bacon—the great Bacon—that youth and discretion are ill-wedded companions?'

"'Yes, I have,' came the instant repartee. 'And have you ever heard of a saying of Bacon—the great Bacon—that a much-talking judge is like an ill-tuned cymbal?'

"'You are extremely offensive, young man,' exclaimed the judge.

"'As a matter of fact,' said Smith, 'we both are; but I am trying to be, and you can't help it.'

"Such a dialogue," adds Mr. Churchill, "would be held brilliant in a carefully-written play, but these successive rejoinders, each one more smashing than the former, should have leapt into being upon the spur of the moment is astounding."

FREEZE-OUTS AT ZEBALLOS

To the Editor:—No doubt there has been some blanketing done in the Zeballos section of Vancouver Island this year, and to allow a very few men to stake a large area of country at one time is undoubtedly wrong in principle. This could easily be corrected by putting a clause in the Mineral Act limiting the number of claims a prospector could locate in any one mining division in any one year to eight.

However, the proposed amendments to the Mineral Act now before the Provincial Legislature are of such a drastic nature that their passage would work a great injustice to the prospector.

The rabble that clamored for the crucifixion of the gentle Nazarene may have been gentlemen compared with the sinister influences parading in human form behind that proposed legislative persecution, for there are some prospectors they can neither freeze, flim-flam nor cold-deck.

PETER PROSSER.

FEW OF US HERE REALIZE

To the Editor:—The cutting from the Gull Lake paper interested your readers who gave provisions for the stricken areas in the prairies so generously. We people here have little idea of what those people are passing through, unless we are in touch with individuals.

MRS. C. H. CHASTON
933 Falkland Road.

Parallel Thoughts

He that hath two coats, let him impart to him that hath none; and he that hath meat, let him do likewise.—Luke 3:11.

Give what you have. To some it may be better than you dare to think.—Longfellow.

CHRISTMAS TO BE BRIGHTER

More Decorative Lighting Effects For This Yuletide Season

Judging from the great quantity of decorative lights that will be employed this year, it is now beginning to appear, as the city is being rapidly attired in its Yuletide costume, that this Christmas season is going to be Victoria's brightest in years.

The exteriors of some of the city's larger firms have been advanced with Christmas trees and greenery, illuminated with colored lights of all shades of the rainbow. Christmas trees are being arranged at lamppost positions along both sides of the downtown thoroughfares, which will shortly be followed by streamers of greenery overhead.

Many business houses have completed their interior decorations and many others are at present being prepared in appropriate fashion. Some of the downtown merchants are excelling themselves with carefully-planned show windows to suit the occasion, and also to promote their various wares to the Christmas shopper.

The colored streamer lights in the business section of town, which were secured through the efforts of the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce, will also be turned on to lend their brightness to the Christmas spirit.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce, however, is not content with just brightening up the downtown area, for the members are now throwing their weight into a scheme whereby the residential districts of the city and surrounding municipalities may also be appropriately illuminated for the period of festivities. An energetic committee of the organization is at present working on a decorative home lighting contest in which residents will be invited to participate. There will be prizes for the best decorations.

Fairfield Choir Leaders Elected

Lawrence Abbott Named President For Sixth Year

For the sixth consecutive year Lawrence Abbott was unanimously acclaimed president of Fairfield United Church Choir at the election of officers Thursday evening. Rev. Norman Crees accepted the office of honorary president and thanked Miss Pike and the choir for their splendid support in the church services and in the general work of the church.

On behalf of the choir, the president expressed appreciation to the choir leader, Miss Isabelle Pike, for her capable direction during the few months she had been conducting. Mr. Abbott also mentioned the choir's efforts to secure a new organ, and was pleased to state that the record in this regard during the past year, was exceptionally good.

After the meeting a social half hour was held in the Sunday schoolroom under the convenership of Miss Estelle Clarke, with Misses Thelma Schroeder and Hazel Bennett assisting.

The following were elected to take over the duties of the choir work for the coming year: Hon. president, Rev. Norman Crees; president, Lawrence Abbott; vice-president, Percy Richards; secretary, Mrs. W. Warren; treasurer, Miss Marianne Dobbin; librarian, Arthur Lantrow; assistant librarian, Miss Estelle Clarke; refreshment committee, convener, Miss Phyllis Clark; assistants, Mrs. P. Richards, Ian H. Dobbin, Wm. Van Druten; gown committee, Miss Thelma Schroeder; organ fund, Miss Estelle Clarke; sick and membership committee, Mrs. A. M. Benson and Mrs. W. C. Warren; press reporter, Miss Adeline Sangster.

1ST TILLICUM SCOUTS

Patrol Leader Bob Muir opened the 1st Tillicum Troop's meeting on Monday night with a flagbreak, which was followed by an inspection by the Scoutmaster.

The troop has grown to such an extent that it is now necessary to makes changes and form a new patrol, it was reported. Bert Cooney and Ken Boulter were made seconds of the Wolf and Beaver patrol, and P.L. Frank Beaumont and Johnny Clayton seconds of the new Eagle patrol.

BABY SMOTHERS

SEATTLE — A three-months-old baby, David Drake, smothered to death Friday in the blankets of its crib despite the resuscitation efforts of a fire department inhalator squad, which rushed to the home.

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WEDDINGS

YOUNG—SOMMER

The marriage took place quietly last evening at 6.30 at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., Pemberton Road, of Mrs. Orleane Sommer, only daughter of Mrs. T. A. Brady, Carberry Gardens, and the late Mr. Brady of Bridgewater, N.S., and Mr. Gilbert Wm. Young, third son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Young. After a honeymoon on the mainland, Mr. and Mrs. Young will return to Victoria to live.

MALLEK—STEWART

The marriage of Miss Helen Jean Stewart, daughter of Mrs. M. Stewart of Albany Road, to Mr. Laurence Mallek, second son of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Mallek, Fernwood Road, will take place quietly tonight in Seattle. Mrs. Stewart, who accompanied her daughter to Seattle on Thursday, will give her in marriage, and Miss Marie Stubbs of this city will be the only bridesmaid.

For her wedding ensemble Miss Stewart has chosen a thistle-bloom imported suit trimmed with grey Bombay lamb and matching grey accessories, and for going away will don a black seal fur coat.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper for the immediate family will be held at the Olympic Hotel.

After a honeymoon by automobile, to Oregon and California, the bridal couple will take up residence at the Oliver Apartments in Vancouver.

WEBER—ROBINSON

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Semple, 1420 Woodland Road, yesterday evening by Rev. Daniel Walker, 1133 Rockland Ave., when he united in marriage Elsie Gertrude Robinson to Mr. Ernest Victor Weber. The bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. Robert Alfred Semple, and was attended by Mrs. Semple. The young couple will make their home in Victoria.

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Refugees In China Aided At Bazaar

Nanking Government Member Speaks At Victoria Event

The pressing need for aid for refugees in China was emphasized yesterday afternoon by Mr. Lew Wai-chih, a member of the Nanking central government, in an address at the opening of the Christmas bazaar held in the Chinese Benevolent Association Building, Fisgard Street.

Mr. Lew had arrived in Victoria earlier in the day from Seattle.

Introduced by Mrs. Mah Quon, he gave an interesting talk on conditions in China at present and thanked the women's committee for its efforts on behalf of the refugees, with a special word of appreciation for the Occidentals who had generously contributed to the cause.

A feature of the bazaar was a display of photographs of battle scenes in China and scrapbooks containing pictures and clippings from Chinese newspapers.

The hall was crowded with visitors during the afternoon and until late in the evening. Tea was served at prettily arranged tables and Chinese ladies in the costume of their country, many of them of costly embroidered silks, moved about against a background gay with Chinese hangings and flowers.

Miss Mabel Nip was responsible for the arrangements of the stalls, at which the assistants were Mrs. George Joe, Mrs. Peter Lowe, Mrs. Joe Hope, Mrs. Mar Leung, Mrs. Jim Nip, Mrs. Victor Lang, Mrs. Henry Lee, Miss Rose Lim, Miss Edna Lowe, Miss Josephine Wong, Miss Violet Lim and Miss Edna Chan.

Miss Mabel Mar had charge of the tea arrangements, and was assisted by Mrs. Albert Mar, Miss Gor Lim, Miss May Lee, Miss Emily Lee, Miss Pearl Hope, Mrs. J. Jing, Mrs. Leung Moy Fung, Mrs. Lee Hay, Miss Rose Lore, Miss Annie Lore, Miss Sue Lee, Miss Dora Lee, Miss Rebekah Leung, Miss Rose Chow, Miss Emma Quan, Miss May Wong, Miss Kathleen Lowe, Miss Elsie Lowe, Miss Bessie Hope, Miss Rose Chan, Miss Pearl Hope, Miss Mavis Joe, Mrs. Quan Yin, Miss Eva Lee and Miss Lily Lowe. A variety of fancy cakes, chow mein sandwiches and tea made up the menu for the afternoon, and the Western visitors tried their hand at chop-sticks, much to the amusement of their Chinese hostesses.

Little Fanny Mar, Winnie Ngan and Irene Ngan appeared in a dance number, wearing attractive costumes and received great applause from the afternoon guests. A programme of instrumental solos added to the evening's entertainment.

The bazaar will continue this afternoon.

St. Mary's Senior W.A. will meet in the Parish Hall, Yale Street, on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. A good attendance is requested as there will be the nominations for the new officers for 1938.

The Oak Bay subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will hold their regular monthly meeting on Monday at 2.30 at the home of Mrs. P. J. Nolan, Uplands.

Esquimalt Girl Lovely Bride

Miss Calla Goldsmith Wed Today To Mr. John W. M. Parr

This afternoon at 2 o'clock a smart wedding took place at St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church when Rev. Arthur Bischlager united in marriage Calla Leslie Goldsmith, only daughter of Mrs. R. C. Andros of "Normanville," Esquimalt, and the late Mr. Ernest Goldsmith of Belleville, Ontario, and Mr. John William Wilton McDonnell Parr, second son of Major and Mrs. W. R. McD. Parr of "Kildone," Saanichton.

Entering the church on the arm of her step-father, Col. R. C. Andros, by whom she was given in marriage, the bride was lovely in her wedding gown of white chiffon velvet, cut on princess lines. Her exquisite wedding veil of Limerick lace was an heirloom, worn by the bridegroom's mother on her wedding day. To complete her bridal attire she carried a shower bouquet of butterfly roses, bouvardia and lilies of the valley.

Her two bridesmaids, Miss Jean Lowery of Vancouver and Miss Betty McIntosh of Victoria, were dressed alike in Schiaparelli models of French silk grosgrain faille in salmon color, fashioned with high waist lines and with full pleated skirts, while encircling the waists were Swiss corselette belts of coral velvet. On their heads they wore Marie Alphonsines of rust velvet, while their arm bouquets were composed of bronze chysanthemums and Talisman roses.

The groomsman was Mr. Larry Henderson, while the guests were shown to the pews by Messrs. Kenneth Osler of Comox and Alec Parr, brother of the bridegroom.

The organist, Mr. C. F. Boulter, played the wedding marches on the arrival and departure of the bridal party, and during the signing of the register "O Promise Me."

Tall baskets filled with white chrysanthemums formed the floral decorations in the church.

At "Normanville" a reception was held following the marriage service, at which many guests were welcomed by Mrs. Andros, wearing a cut velvet gown in Burgundy coloring with hat to match and a corsage bouquet of gardenias, and by Mrs. Parr, wearing a gown of black lace, black hat, and a corsage bouquet of Talisman roses and violets.

The bride and bridegroom left on a honeymoon trip of unknown destination, and on their return to Victoria will make their home at View Royal. For traveling the bride wore an imported wool suit in dark rust coloring, a hat to match, a broadtail coat and other accessories in dark brown, and a corsage of Talisman rosebuds.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included the bride's brother, Mr. R. H. Goldsmith of Powell River, Mrs. J. Lowery of Vancouver and Miss Louise Farris of Vancouver.

Nome Pictures Shown to Club

The regular meeting of the Gordon Head Current Events Club was held on Wednesday evening in the Gordon Head Hall, Mrs. F. I. Innes presiding. Mr. Lord sang "The Midshipmite" and "The Bells of the Sea," accompanied by Mrs. Gilbert.

"Nome on the Bering Sea and the Northern Arctic Eskimo" was the subject of an illustrated address by Mr. C. H. French. His pictures of Nome dated back to the days of the city of tents, and gave an idea of the difficulties of transporting machinery and supplies into Alaska. The story of sealing, through the various stages of development, was told graphically, and then the audience was taken around the coast to Herschel Island, and visited the Eskimos in their igloos, and at their work of fishing and hunting, learning many of their strange habits and customs.

Mr. R. W. McClung expressed to Mr. French the appreciation of all present.

Children's Ball Plans Advance

Christmas holidays are coming near, bringing promise of parties and other good things, and much interest is already being displayed in the annual children's fancy dress ball to be staged at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday evening, December 28. As in former years, the dance will be sponsored by the Navy League Chapter I.O.D.E., and Mrs. T. A. Johnston is the convener.

Married Here Recently

—Photo by Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lund, photographed after their wedding at St. Matthias Church on Wednesday evening. The bride was formerly Miss Ella Marguerite Smith.

Society

Mrs. J. T. Gawthrop, Heywood Avenue, who has been visiting in Vancouver with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Costigan, has returned to her home in Victoria.

Mrs. Aubrey Kent, Douglas Street, who is visiting in Vancouver as the guest of Mrs. Fred Elkins, is expected back in Victoria tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simpson of Vancouver came over from the mainland yesterday afternoon to spend the week-end here and are the guests of Captain and Mrs Walter Gosse, Oak Bay.

Mrs. B. H. Tyrwhitt-Drake of Oak Bay who, with her husband, is visiting relatives in England, has been elected a Fellow of the Royal Empire Society, according to the recent issue of Canada's Weekly.

Mrs. E. Hawkins, 1792 Kings Road, announces the engagement of her second daughter, Muriel Elizabeth, to Robert William Daykin, youngest son of Mrs. G. Daykin, 427 Hillside Avenue, and the late Mr. G. Daykin.

Mrs. Laura Lewin, Empress Hotel, has returned from spending a few days in Seattle with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jocelyn Gordon of Unalaska, who are spending a few months in Seattle.

Mrs. H. E. Murray of Port Alberni and her small son, Master Donald Murray, who have been spending the last three months in Victoria with Mrs. Murray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Redding, Lee Avenue, left today for their home up the West Coast.

Major J. H. Carvosso, M.C., P.P.C.L.I., and Mrs. Carvosso have arrived from Winnipeg, where they have been resident for the last few years, and are receiving a warm welcome from their many friends. Major Carvosso has been transferred to Work Point Barracks.

Miss Tressie Gilliland entertained a large number of guests at the tea hour yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Katharine Lee, Vancouver, whose marriage to Mr. Harry Gilliland will take place on December 18. Assisting the hostess in receiving the guests was her mother, Mrs. W. J. Gilliland. Mrs. F. C. Mawhinney and Mrs. John A. Fraser presided at the prettily-appointed tea table centred with pink chrysanthemums in a crystal bowl flanked by ivory tapers in crystal holders. Assisting in serving were Mrs. H. C. MacCallum, Mrs. George Thornbury and Misses Amy Vie, Marjorie Peto and Lidia and Effie Gilliland.

Mrs. Allan Wyllie, Wilmot Place, went over to Vancouver today on a viist to her sister, Mrs. J. S. Hargrave.

Mr. H. V. Littler, manager of the Stewart branch of the Bank of Montreal, has arrived in the city from the north, called by illness of his mother.

Mrs. E. H. Griffiths, Oscar Street, will leave on December 12 for Vancouver to spend a week with friends prior to leaving for Portland, where she will visit her sister, Miss E. M. McKenney, for the next six months. During her absence her home will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. E. Gibson, formerly of Penticton, who have come to make their home in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mercer, formerly Miss Anne Hunter of Vancouver, whose marriage took place in Vancouver on Wednesday evening at the Canadian Memorial Church, came over to Victoria this afternoon and will make their home on Government Street. The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. John Mercer, Skinner Street, who went over to the mainland for the wedding, has returned to her home in Victoria.

Miss Barbara Dawson entertained a number of her friends at an afternoon tea on Wednesday afternoon, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Dawson, Cedar Hill. The Misses Marjorie Griffiths, Edna Raper and Jean Dawson assisted the hostess serving tea. The invited guests were: Mesdames R. Reid, H. H. Youson, H. R. Dawson, J. Frampton, W. Hill, B. Pearson, B. Bailey, C. McPherson, T. Moss, and the Misses Ivy Salter, Grace Howroyd, Edna Raper, Anne Gardner, Cleo Westrum, Phyllis Mullin, Ruth Burwash, Marjorie Griffiths, Phyllis Burwash, Martha Ross, Laverna Wheeler, Eileen Ross, Elsie Friend, Ethel Hunter, Daisy Lindsay, Eleanor Gray, and Jean Dawson.

In honor of Miss Jennet Veness, whose marriage will take place this month, Miss Eva Fooks was hostess at a kitchen shower Thursday evening at her home on Head Street. The gifts were presented by little Alys Sampson, who also entertained with song and tap dance. Games were played, prizes being won by Miss Adelaide Simpson and Mrs. C. Maynard. The guests included: Mrs. C. Veness, Mrs. R. Veness, Mrs. M. Livingstone, Mrs. R. Evans, Mrs. M. Lane, Mrs. L. Baxter, Mrs. W. Neilson, Mrs. E. D. Sampson, Mrs. H. Kempton, Mrs. J. Garff, Mrs. C. Maynard, Mrs. M. Fooks, Misses Edith Evans, Evelyn Draper, Jennet Veness, Irene Lane, Catherine Simpson, Adelaide Simpson, Eva Fooks and Alys Sampson.

Mr. and Mrs. Denbigh Anson and Mr. and Mrs. Burnett, who are en route to England from Shanghai, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Robinson, 967 Wollaston Street, at an informal party last night. Mr. Anson was formerly the staff of B.C. Worsted Mills in Victoria. At the closing of the mill, Mr. and Mrs. Anson returned to England and after a short stay he was assigned to a post in Shanghai where they have been for the last three years. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Haithwaite, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Dunn. Miss Joyce Robinson supplied the musical entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. Anson and Mr. and Mrs. Burnett with Miss Anson and Master Burnett are leaving Victoria today for their home at Bradford, England.

Mrs. G. M. Weir, wife of the Minister of Education, entertained about 135 guests, including wives of the members of the Legislature, at a delightful reception at her home, "The Oaks," Oak Bay Avenue, yesterday afternoon. The hostess received in a smart gown of black velvet, trimmed with touches of green at the neckline and on the belt and corsage bouquet of gardenias. Assisting her in receiving was Mrs. Gordon S. Wismer, wife of the Attorney-General of British Columbia. Mrs. Wismer wore a black gown relieved with white facing at the neckline. The tea table was centred with pale pink rosebuds and paper-white narcissi and maidenhair fern, and was illuminated by tall green and ivory tapers in silver candelabra. Pouring tea and coffee were Mrs. William Sloan, Mrs. K. C. MacDonald, Mrs. R. W. Mayhew and Mrs. Norman W. Whittaker, while those assisting in serving were Misses Bunty Sloan, Mary Bull, Hope Denbigh, Constance Hobbs, Faith Cuming, Margery and Honor Benson and Elizabeth Edwards.

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Mrs. W. Peden New Head Of W.I.

Annual Report Shows $1,178.91 Spent On Group's Charities

Mrs. W. Peden was elected to the presidency of the Victoria Women's Institute at its annual meeting in the institute rooms yesterday afternoon. She succeeds Mrs. L. Schmelz, who was in the chair at the meeting.

Also elected to the board of directors were Mrs. A. Briscoe, Mrs. A. G. Roberts, Mrs. R. W. Hurst and Mrs. F. E. Arnold. The secretary will be appointed later.

During the year the institute collected $1,465.70, the secretary's report presented by Mrs. G. Sexton showed. Of this sum $1,781.91 was spent in the regular work of the organization and in the upkeep of the sunroom at the south end of the first floor of the Jubilee Hospital. The room was decorated for Christmas last year, and presents were given to children from time to time. The attractiveness of the sunroom was increased by the covering of furniture with chintz and the addition of two jardinieres.

ADOPT CHILDREN

Three children at the Solarium were adopted and at present the institute is working to raise $500 for physio-therapy equipment and salt water swimming and massage baths. Already $200 has been raised towards this purpose as a result of a tag day.

The North Ward School has been receiving geographical magazines from the institute, and other donations have included 22 balls of wool to Sunshine Camp, leather to a patient in hospital to make gloves, the Gyro Christmas hamper fund and the Children's Aid Society.

Twenty-seven handicraft classes were being held, Mrs. J. L. White stated in her report as convener of industries. She described the classes in spinning, weaving, rug-making, carding and other work being done and exhibited by members of the classes.

To the retiring president, Mrs. Schmelz, a silver basket and bouquet of pink carnations were presented, and Mrs. Schmelz, on behalf of the members, presented gifts to Mesdames J. Terry, E. S. Blair, Gus Brown, M. Laxton, J. L. White and G. P. Napier, as tokens of appreciation for their ever-willing co-operation and assistance in carrying on the work of the institute.

Tea was served by the retiring executive.

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Cathedral W.A. Name Officers

A year of good work was shown by the officers' reports at the annual meeting of the Christ Church Cathedral Senior Evening Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary held Thursday evening in the Guild Room of the Memorial Hall.

In addition to all apportionments being fully covered, the branch has made their usual contributions towards the outfits of the Indian scholars at Alert Bay School, assisted in prairie relief, and helped in the contribution of Christmas cheer to Village Island.

The election of officers were as follows: President, Miss Margaret Sill; vice-president, Miss M. R. Lawson; M.B.E. secretary, Mrs. W. J. Neal; treasurer, Miss Venables; extra-cent secretary, Mrs. H. W. Smith; thankoffering secretary, Miss Henley; Dorcas secretary, Miss I. Venables; social service secretary, Miss Crofer; educational secretary, Miss Turley; "swing message" secretary, Mrs. Hichens-Smith; prayer partner, Mrs. Ashmore. Mrs. J. T. Dickson was reappointed as honorary president of the branch.

At the conclusion of the business session Bishop and Mrs. H. E. Sexton were welcomed. Speaking briefly, the bishop told of the expansion of the church in the mission field in the appointment of outstanding Christian natives to high offices in the church. He cited some who were pioneers in the work of christianity in their country, notably Bishop Tsen of China, who recently spoke in Victoria. He concluded by reading an inspiring quotation from a speech by Lord Tweedsmuir on the essentials of religion and its task.

Refeshments were served at the close of the meeting by the kind invitation of the president, an da social time was enjoyed by members and friends.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Esquimalt Community Club will be held on Monday evening, December 6, at 8 o'clock in the guildroom of St. Paul's Church House.

PORTIA CLUB MET

At the regular meeting of Portia, girls' debating society at Victoria High School, this week Enid Browne gave a current news talk; Lydia Gilliland spoke on the French Secret Service; Rita Nevard a humorous speech on Doctors, and a skit was given on an insurance salesman by Peggy Reid and Vivian Temple.

Plans for the annual Portia silver tea which will be held December 10 were discussed.

"Calendar Tea" Nets Nearly $200

Oak Bay United Church W.A. annual "Calendar Tea" held yesterday, was well attended and successful. For the last two years this has taken the place of the annual bazaar and the net results yesterday of nearly $200 has justified the change to direct giving. The guests, seated informally at small tables, were welcomed by the president, Mrs. W. J. Graham, who also read a letter from Edna Jacques describing the reception of a carload of fruit and vegetables sent from B.C. to the "dust bowl" of the prairie where she was living at the time.

During the tea hour, an interesting programme of light music was given by Mr. Chris. Miller, violinist, with Mrs. S. H. Bartlett at the piano. Mrs. G. Cordiner was the convener for the afternoon and Mrs. W. J. Beeston, treasurer, was in charge of the receiving of the 1937 calendars and the giving out of those for 1938.

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Charming Members of Parliamentary Coterie

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—Photos by Aber.

Among the wives of the members of the Legislature who have been participating in the round of large and small social functions which are a concomitant of the session are Mrs. Kenney, wife of the member for Skeena; Mrs. Asselstine, wife of the member for Atlin, and Mrs. Louis LeBourdais, whose husband represents the Cariboo constituency.

Teaches How To Speak Well

Emma Dunn, Noted Actress, Is Visitor at Empress

That the use of the speaking voice is one of the greatest indices to character is the interesting opinion ventured by Miss Emma Dunn, well-known actress of the screen and stage, who is holidaying at the Empress Hotel for a few days.

The possessor of an unusually beautiful voice herself, Miss Dunn has found time to "sandwich" the teaching of "Thought in Voice," as she terms it, into a busy career as an actress.

And the manner of her starting this sideline is interesting. While in New York she came in contact with a woman who was engaged in reading the Bible to the prisoners in the Tombs. This woman was the possessor of a weakly, uninteresting voice, and came to Miss Dunn asking for advice as to how to read the Bible aloud so as to do justice to the beauty of its words and meaning.

Miss Dunn was so impressed with her success in teaching the reader how to read the Bible properly that she launched her campaign to teach thought in voice, and has met with much success in Hollywood, San Francisco, Honolulu and in Glasgow, Scotland, and many other leading cities in Great Britain and the United States. At present she is teaching classes of 100 students three times a week in Portland, Ore., as well as taking private students.

But this undertaking, which most people would consider a full-time job, has not interfered with her film career. She recently appeared in the role of Rose with Warren William in the film "Madame X," and appeared with Bing Crosby in "Waikiki Wedding," and is shortly leaving for Hollywood to appear in another big production.

Miss Dunn, born in Cheshire, England, came to America as a child. Before entering the movies she had a notable stage career. She starred under Belasco and William A. Brady, co-starring with Ruth Chatterton in the famous stage success "The Changeling."

John J. Astor To Return to B.C.

VANCOUVER — John Jacob Astor, who visited northern British Columbia with a party of friends in his private railway car some weeks ago, likes B.C.

C.N.R. officers here have received a copy of a letter of appreciation sent by him to J. W. McAuley, railway official at Prince George, who arranged a schedule for the party for fishing, hunting and sightseeing at points adjacent to the railway. The wealthy New Yorker intends to return at a future date.

News of Clubwomen

Mary Croft Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet Monday at 2.45 at the home of Mrs. E. T. Mason, 1117 Esquimalt Road.

The monthly meeting of the Florence Nightingale Chapter I.O.D.E. will be held at headquarters Monday afternoon at 2.30.

St. Saviour's Senior W.A. will hold their annual meeting on Monday afternoon at 2.30 in the guild room. Miss Outram will give an address on Africa.

Gonzales Chapter I.O.D.E. will meet Tuesday, December 7, at headquarters at 2 p.m. Mrs. W. C. Nichol will speak on her impressions of the Coronation and tea will be served.

The Women's Canadian Club will hear an address by F. G. Jaycocks, staff photographer for Toronto Saturday Night, at their next meeting Tuesday, December 7. Gifts of books for Fairbridge Farm School will be gratefully received by Mrs. F. G. Aldous on behalf of the club.

The monthly meeting of Knox Presbyterian W.M.S. will be held in the church hill on Tuesday, December 7, at 2.30. Mrs. R. A. Brown of St. Andrew's Church will be the guest speaker, and all women of the congregation are invited to be present.

An address entitled "Preservation of Health and Home Hints" will be given by Miss Walker on Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the regular monthly meeting of the Lake Hill Institute. The meeting will be held in the institute hall and members are urgently requested to attend.

St. Alban's Ladies' Society's donation tea, held recently at the home of Mrs. E. Andrews, proved very successful. Many useful gifts suitable for Christmas were donated. Tea was served from a table centred with a silver basket of yellow white chrysanthemums in silver scones. The annual bazaar will be held in the church hall on Wednesday, December 8, at 3 o'clock.

Camosun Chapter I.O.D.E met in the headquarters Friday afternoon with the first vice-regent, Mrs. James Stewart in the chair. Donations were voted to the Mary Croft Memorial Cot at the Solarium, the work in India, and the Boy Scouts. Mrs. James MacKenzie was welcomed as a new member. The members were again reminded of the Boy Scouts' toyshop. Tea was served at the close, the hostesses being Mrs. R. Duncan, Mrs. J. Wilkinson and Mrs. D. W. Burnett.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans will hold their meeting in the Tuberculous Veterans' clubrooms, 812 Blanshard Street, on Thursday, December 9. The meeting has been advanced in order to make final plans for the T.V.A. "Country Fair," which will be held on December 10 and 11, in the Chamber of Commerce. The auxiliary are having the home cooking and novelty stall. Mrs. D. W. Burnett, president, gave a report of the Provincial Women's Command held in Vancouver.

Assembly No. 5, Canadian Daughters' League, held their monthly business meeting last evening in the K. of C. Hall, the president, Mrs. I. Fleming, in the chair. The members stood in silent tribute to the memory of one of their members, the late Mrs. Wm. Fryer, who passed away last week at Fort William, Ontario. Reports of the recent home cooking sale and dance were given by the conveners, Mrs. G. McKilligan and Mrs. R. J. Bray. The next meeting will be held on December 16, when members are asked to bring with them donations for Christmas hampers. Following a short business session, No. 3 group, convened by Miss D. Willing, will have charge of the social programme.

The monthly meeting of the Emmanuel Baptist W.M.S. was held Thursday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. Pinkerton, in the chair. Mrs. J. Ferguson gave the Christmas message. Mrs. Bishop sang "Rest and Peace," accompanied by Mrs. Geo. Anstey. Letters were read from the educational committee of the Provincial Board, suggesting "Our Work in the Canadian West" for the programmes this year. Books were also suggested for the reading course. Mrs. Jeffrey read a communication from the "Link and Visitor" department, telling of the campaign for new subscribers. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Honorary president, Miss A. Sproule; president, Mrs. A. Pinkerton; first vice-president, Mrs. M. Bancroft; second vice-president, Mrs. J. Ferguson; recording secretary, Mrs. A. S. Imrie; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. H. Marrion; treasurer, Mrs. D. M. Thomson; pianist, Mrs. Rowley. The treasurer reported the budget had been raised and a balance on hand. It was decided to make another jubilee life member. The meeting closed with prayer by Miss Sproule.

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Graduate Nurses' Association will be held at the Nurses' Home, St. Joseph's Hospital, on Tuesday, December 7, at 8 p.m. After the business meeting, Dr. Thomas Miller will speak on "Special Treatment."

The Junior W.A. to the Jubilee Hospital will hold their monthly meeting Monday at 2.30 in the Nurses' Home.

LONDON—The plain blue uniforms of London's policewomen are sensible and efficient, and the helmet and heavy boots necessary for long hours in the rain, said Superintendent D. Peto, answering criticisms.

Youth and Old Age

—Photo by Elite.

Mr. J. R. Carmichael of 2070 Carrick Street, who celebrated his 80th birthday on D[illegible]er 2, and his gr[illegible] Car[illegible] daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. [illegible]

Society

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mayhew and Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. McGregor returned to the city yesterday after spending the last few days in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hartley went over to Vancouver on Thursday to spend a few days as the guests of Senator and Mrs. A. D. McRae at "Hycroft," Shaughnessy Heights.

Mrs. Ronald Buchanan of Vancouver is spending a few days as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Lorne Campbell, St. Charles Street, prior to leaving for Portland, from where she will sail on a six months' cruise to South America.

Members of the Chiselers Bridge Club spent an enjoyable evening recently at the home of Miss Betty Lansdell, Graham Street. Dainty refreshments were served and prizes won by Miss Lil Bennett and Mrs. Robert Stewart. Members present were: Misses Emma Mutch, Peggy Mertton, Ruth Bennett, Lil Bennett, Betty Lansdell, Mrs. Roy Thexton, Mrs. Arthur Armstrong, and Mrs. Robert Stewart. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Stewart, Anderson Avenue.

A miscellaneous shower was held recently at the home of Mrs. R. Stewart, Anderson Avenue, in honor of Mrs. James Forster, the former Alice Pearce. The gifts were presented to the guest of honor by Nancy Pearce from a pretty box, decorated in mauve and yellow. Games were enjoyed, the winners being Mrs. R. Pearce, Miss Mary Forster and Miss Edna Jones. Refreshments were served and the guests were: Mrs. J. Mutch, Mrs. E. Whiting, Mrs. G. Stancombe, Mrs. R. Pearce, Mrs. H. Pearce, Mrs. J. Jones, Misses Edna Jones, Emma Mutch, Viola Stewart, Laura Stewart, Mary Forster, Eileen Thomas, Joan Pearce and Nancy Pearce.

LANGFORD

The annual silver tea and sale of work was held Wednesday afternoon under the auspices of St. Matthew's Guild, at the home of Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, Marshwood. Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh declared the sale open. Stallholders and other workers were: Mrs. Dan Malcolm, Mrs. C. Willard, Mrs. M. Tinley, Mrs. H. F. Dack, Miss L. M. A. Savory, Mrs. E. H. Brock, Mrs. H. A. Hincks, Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. A. Cooper and Mrs. P. N. Welch. The guild members presented a small gift to Mr. and Mrs. Bullen.

DANCE PUPILS GIVE RECITAL

Students of Betti Clair Give Varied Programme at Chamber of Commerce

A uniformly high standard of dancing was shown last night at a recital given in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium by pupils of Betti Clair.

The programme included 11 solo and 13 group performances in a number of different styles.

Pupils taking part were Doris Brooks, Patricia White, Betty Mae Townsend, Beverly Wallace, Frances Smith, Muriel Atkinson, Lawrence Fieldhouse, Wilma Clifford, Garry Richardson, Eva Milne, Iris Brooks, Irene Noel, Betty Keatley, Dorothea Rowlands, Mavis Ockenden, Joyce Thompson, Barbara Wilson, Ethel Stickney, Kathleen Pellow, Eileen Gahan, Frances Logan, Kathleen Orchin, Sandra Rife, Jean Pringle, Sheila Newton, Joan Buckingham, Sheila Gaskill, Betty Speirs, Enid Middleton, Marjorie Noel, Beverly Noel, Jacqueline Logan, Glorie Richmond, Arnold Hornby, Margaret Mar, Gladys Nip, Jean Wong, Rita Quan, Fannie Mar, Fay Lee, Dorothy Quan, Mabel Wong, Ruby Joe, Sybil Lee, Anna Wong, Daisy Chung, Ann Lee, Ruth Lee, David Schofield, Helen James, Peggy Miller and Margie Brewer.

Trustee P. E. George was chairman. G. Schofield was the accompanist, with Mildred Yip taking over the piano for the Chinese song. The Grecian scene was arranged by Kathleen Langley

Flower Tea To Be Held at Empress

The first of the Christmas festivities at the Empress Hotel is scheduled for Saturday, December 11, when the Christmas flower tea will start the seasonal social ball rolling.

Scarlet poinsettias, fragrant narcissus grandiflora, commonly known as paper whites; dainty pink lorraine, cyclamens, primulas of infinite variety and azaleas will all add their quota of beauty to the blue rotunda. An augmented tea orchestra under the leadership of William Tickle will play a carefully selected programme suitable to the occasion.

Of late years the Empress Hotel has become famous not only in Victoria itself but on the mainland and south of the line for the pleasantly informal gaiety of its "flower teas." Reservations for tables for the Christmas flower tea should be made as early as possible.

GIRL GUIDE NOTES

A meeting of the Victoria West Local Association will be held at the home of Miss Leighton, 1743 Lee Avenue, on Monday at 8 p.m.

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Mutual—KOL (1,270).
Canadian—CBR (1,100).

Tonight

5

The Indian Speaks. Rev. Peter Kelly—Canadian.
Maurice's Orchestra—Columbia.
Louis Armstrong's Orchestra — National Red.
Harry Lewis's Orchestra—National Blue.
Pat Barnes and his Barnstormers—Mutual.
Irene Landor—Canadian at 5.15.

5.30

Reflections—Canadian.
Music and American Youth—National Red.
Talk by Linton Wells—National Blue.
Eddie Dooley—Columbia.
Olga Baclanova's Continental Revue—Mutual.
Cinnamon Bear—KVI at 5.45.
Nola Day, vocalist—National Blue at 5.45.

6

Hockey Broadcast. Montreal Canadiens vs. Toronto Maple Leafs—Canadian.
Al Roth's Orchestra—National Red.
Scandinavian—KJR.
John Steel—Mutual.
Stardust Melodies—KVI.

6.30

Saturday Night Serenade—Columbia.
Slumber Hour—KOMO.
News—KJR.
Frank Bull—Mutual.
Four Esquires—KVI at 6.45.
Oregon—National Blue at 6.45.
News Flashes—KOL at 6.45.
Rhythm and Romance—National Blue at 6.45.
Today's Sideshows—KOMO at 6.45.

7

National Broadcasting Symphony Orchestra under Arthur Rodzinski—National Red.
Your Hit Parade. Guest star, Charles Kullman, opera, tenor—Columbia.
Chicago Symphony Orchestra—Mutual.
Seattle Public Schools Programme—KJR.

7.30

Horace Lapp's Orchestra—Canadian.
Mastersingers—KJR.
Fun Fest—KVI at 7.45.
News and Weather—Canadian at 7.45.
John C. Stevenson—KJR at 7.45.

8

National Barn Dance—National Blue.
Northern Messenger—Canadian.
Sterling Young's Orchestra—Columbia.
Horace Heidt's Orchestra—Mutual at 8.15.
Archie Loveland's Orchestra—KVI at 8.15.

8.30

The Law Theatre—National Red.
Johnny Presents. "Front Page News," dramatic sketch. Russ Morgan's Orchestra—Columbia.

9

Robert Ripley and B. A. Rolfe's Orchestra—National Red.
On Parade—Canadian.
Professor Quiz—Columbia.
Newspaper of the Air—Mutual.
News—KJR.
Singing Strings—KOL at 9.15.
Rockefeller Centre Orchestra — National Blue at 9.15

9.30

Jack Haley's Log Cabin—National Red.
Joe Reichman's Orchestra—National Blue.
Jan Garber's Orchestra—Columbia.
Wayne King's Orchestra—Mutual.
Jerry Fuller's Orchestra—Canadian.
News Flashes—KVI at 9.45.
Bob Crosby's Orchestra—Columbia at 9.45.

10

Harry Lewis's Orchestra—National Red.
Hotel Orchestra—National Blue.
Weather and News—Canadian.
Hollywood Barn Dance—Columbia.
Griff Williams's Orchestra—Mutual.
Mart Kenney's Orchestra — Canadian at 10.15.

10.30

Jack Winston's Orchestra—National Red.
Jimmy Grier's Orchestra—National Blue.
Did You Hear—Canadian at 10.45.
Brad Bannon's Orchestra—KVI at 10.45.

11

Archie Loveland's Orchestra—National Red.
Paul Carson, organist—National Blue.
Roger Burke's Orchestra—Mutual.
Pasadena Civic Auditorium—Columbia.
Ballroom—KVI at 11.15.

11.30

Louis Armstrong's Orchestra — National Red.
Henry King's Orchestra—Columbia.
Frank Sortino's Orchestra—Mutual.
Midnite Matinee—KOL at 11.45.

Sunday

8

Press News—National Red.
Alice Ramsen—National Blue.
West Coast Church of the Air—Columbia.
Reviewing Stand—Mutual.

8.30

Major Bowes's Theatre Family—Columbia.
Marcel Dupre, organist—National Blue.
Salt Lake City Tabernacle—Columbia.

9

Dr. Charles Courbin, organist—Canadian and Mutual.

9.30

Chicago Round Table—National Red.
Radio City Music Hall—National Blue.
The Romance of Sacred Song—Canadian.
The Mighty I Am Presence—Mutual.

10

Chamber Music Quartette—Canadian.
Church of the Air—Columbia.
New World Chamber Orchestra—Mutual.

10.30

Morning Concert—National Red.
Spelling Bee—National Blue.
John Duncan, harpist—Canadian.
Talk by Herbert Hodge, London cab driver—Columbia.

11

Sunday Drivers—National Red and Canadian.
The Magic Key. Frank Black's Symphony Orchestra—National Blue.
The Right Job—Mutual.
Romany Trail—Columbia.

11.30

Gale Page and Charles Sears—National Red.
Pianograms. Jack Emerson—Canadian and Mutual.
Utilities Engineering Programme—KVI.

12

Eddie Swarthout and his Music—National Red.
There Was a Woman—National Blue.
Philharmonic Symphony Society of New York, John Barbirolli, conductor—Columbia and Canadian.

12.30

Bicycle Party—National Red.
Senator Fishface and Professor Figgsbottle National Blue.

1

Romance Melodies—National Red.
World Neighbors—Mutual.

1.30

Romance Time—KOMO.
Hollywood Temple—KJR.
Seattle Pacific College—KOL.

2

Matinee Promenade—Mutual.
Marion Talley—National Red.
Metropolitan Opera Auditions of the Air—National Blue.
Silver Theatre—Columbia and Canadian.

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2.30

The Time of Your Life—National Red.
Choir Invisible—Canadian.
Dr. Christian—Columbia.
Streamline Swing—Mutual.

3

Catholic Hour—National Red.
And It Came to Pass—Canadian.
Joe Penner and Jimmy Grier's Orchestra—Columbia.
Thirty Minutes in Hollywood—Mutual.

3.30

Green Novelty Orchestra—National Blue.
Dr. H. L. Stewart—Canadian.
Romantic Rhythms—Columbia.
Reunion of the States—Mutual.

4

Professor Puzzlewit—National Red.
Popular Classics Concert—Canadian and National Blue.
Open House with Nadine O'Conner—Columbia.
Stan Lomax—Mutual.

4.30

Sunday Special—National Red.
Feg Murray, Harriet Hilliard. Ozzie Nelson's Orchestra—National Blue.
Along the Danube—Canadian.

5

Nelson Eddy, Edgar Bergen, Don Ameche, Dorothy Lamour and Charlie McCarthy. Guest star, Ginger Rogers—National Red.
Erno Rapee's Symphony Orchestra. "Parade of Scientific Progress"—National Blue.
Columbia Workshop—Columbia and Canadian.
The Epic of America—Mutual.

5.30

Music Time—Canadian.
Milestones—Columbia.
Sammy Kaye's Orchestra—Mutual.

6

Manhattan Merry-go-round—National Red.
Hollywood Playhouse. Tyrone Power, Sally Blane—National Blue.
Within These Walls—Canadian.
Sunday Evening Hour. Lawrence Tibbett, guest star—Columbia.
Viennese Music—KOL.

6.30

American Album of Familiar Music—National Red.
Walter Winchell—National Blue.
United Church of Canada—CBR.
Front Page Headlines—KOL.

7

Mental Telepathy Broadcast—Columbia.
The Constitution—Canadian.
Hawthorne House—National Red.
Marek Webster's Orchestra—National Blue.
Sunday Evening Playhouse—KOL.

7.30

Carefree Carnival. Round the world musical travelogue. Vera Vane, vocalist; Charlie Marshall and his Mavericks—National Red.
Cheerio—National Blue.
Drama—KVI.
Lieder Singer. Lionel Daunais, baritone—Canadian.
Old-fashioned Revival—Mutual.

8

Interesting Neighbors—National Red.
Irene Rich, Lady Counsellor—National Blue.
Sweet and Low—Canadian.
Cornish School—KVI.

8.30

Jack Benny, Mary Livingstone, Kenny Baker, Phil Harris, Andy Devine—National Red.
The Choristers—Canadian.
Beaux Arts Trio—National Blue.
Archie Loveland's Orchestra—KVI.
Cab Calloway and his Orchestra—Columbia.

9

Night Editor, dramatic sketch—National Red.
Concert Orchestra—CBR.
Henry King's Orchestra—Columbia.
Newspaper of the Air—Mutual.
News—KJR.

9.30

One Man's Family—National Red.
Earl Hine's Orchestra—National Blue.
Otto Case—KVI.
Red Norvo and his Orchestra—Columbia.
Specialists—CBR.

10

News Flashes—National Red.
Harry Lewis's Orchestra—National Blue.
Radio Gospel League—KVI.
Hollywood Melody Shop—Columbia at 10.15.

10.30

Josef Hornik's Orchestra—National Blue.
Chamber Music—Canadian.
Kay Kayser's Orchestra.

11

Door to the Moon—Columbia.

11.30

Del Courtney's Orchestra—Columbia.

Monday

7

Sweethearts of the Air—National Blue.
Top o' the Morning—KOMO.
Morning Devotionals—KVI.

7.30

Breakfast News—KVI.
Vaugh de Leath. Songs—National Blue.
Morning Reveries—KOMO.
News Flashes—KOL.

8

The Breakfast Hour—CBR.
Musical Clock—KVI.
Andy and Virginia—Mutual.
Norman Sher, pianist—National Blue.
Financial—National Red.

8.30

Jungle Town Gazette—National Red.
Hollywood Hi Hatters—National Blue.
Kay Kelly's Woman's Page—KVI.
Garden Club—KOL.

9

Time for Thought—National Blue.
Mary Margaret McBride—Columbia.
The Boy and Girl Friend—Canadian.
Sycamore Street—Mutual.
Mary's Garden—KOMO at 9.15.

9.30

Lang Thomoson's Orchestra—National Red.
The New World—National Blue.
Allen Leafer's Orchestra—Canadian.
Romance of Helen Trent—Columbia.
Gordon Fleming—Mutual.

10

Crosscuts—National Blue.
The Happy Gang—Canadian.
Pretty and Bob—Columbia.
News Flashes—KOL.
Carson Robinson and his Buckaroos—Mutual at 10.15.
Mrs. Wiggs—National Red at 10.15.

10.30

John's Other Wife—National Red.
Arnold Grimm's Daughter—Columbia.
Rex Battle's Orchestra—Canadian.
Myra Kingsley, astrologer—Mutual.

11

U.S. Navy Band—National Blue.
Big Sister—Columbia.
London Calling—Canadian.

11.30

How to be Charming—National Red.
National Farm and Home Hour—National Blue.
American School of the Air—Columbia.

12

Romantic Music—Columbia.
News Flashes—KVI.
Pepper Young's Family—National Red.

12.30

Good Health and Training—Mutual.
Jenny Peabody—Columbia.
Vic and Sade—National Red.
Rochester Civic Orchestra—National Blue at 12.35.
Farm Talk—Canadian at 12.40.
The Newlyweds—Columbia at 12.45.

1

Club Matinee—Canadian and National Blue.
J. C. Scott Farm talk—KOMO.
Myrt and Marge—Columbia.
National Emergency Council—Mutual.

1.30

Mary Marling—National Red.
Front Page Headlines—KVI.
Songs from the South—KOL.

2

Songs by Ronnie Stewart—National Red.
Strike Up the Band—CBR.
Lars and Lena—KJR.
The Johnson Family—Mutual.
Harmony House—KVI.

2.30

Martha Meade—National Red.
Julane Pelletier, pianist—National Blue.
News Through a Woman's Eyes—Columbia.
Virginia Fair Entertains—Canadian.
Katz on the Keys—Mutual.

3

John Gurney, basso—National Red.
U.S. Army Band—National Blue.
Dancing Strings—Canadian.
Feminine Fancies—Mutual.
Howard Phillips—Columbia.

3.30

Woman's Magazine of the Air—National Red.
Charles Sears—National Blue.
Fanfare—Canadian.
Press Radio News—KVI.

4

Music is My Hobby—National Blue.
Luigi Romanelli's Orchestra—Canadian.
Story Hour—KVI.
Henry Weber's Concert Orchestra—Mutual.
Wife vs. Secretary—KOMO.

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4.45–Dance Music	8.30–Symphony
5.00–Monitor	9.00–News
5.30–Birthdays	9.15–Interlude
6.00–Art Farey	9.30–Haymakers
6.15–J. D. Hunter	11.00–Art Farey
6.30–Election	12.00–Midnight
8.00–Midway	

Tomorrow

11.00–Christ Church	6.30–Gospel Hour
5.15–Concert	7.00–Sacred Songs
5:30–Christ'n Science	7.15–Serenade
5.45–Melodic Themes	7.30–Christ Church
6.00–Pentacostal	8.45–Reveries

Monday

7.30–Rise and Shine	11.00–News of Aair
8.00–Timely Topics	12.00–Melodies
8.15–Varieties	12.30–Noon Flashes
8.30–Chronometer	12.45–Richard Tauber
9.00–Notes and News	1.00–Healing Words
9.30–Financial	1.15–March Time
9.45–Waltz Time	1.25–World Bookman
10.00–Monitor	1.30–Friendly Hour
10.15–Varieties	4.45–Dance Music
10.30–Art Farey	

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

1. If you are leaving word for a person to telephone you, should you leave your number as well as your name?

2. May a telephone number be printed on personal stationery?

3. What might a secretary say to a telephone caller if she has to keep him waiting while she looks up information necessitated by the call?

4. How might a man announce himself to another man whom he is calling on business?

5. What is the best way to begin a telephone conversation when one has called to give an order to a business firm?

What would you do if—

You are resuming a telephone conversation after having had to leave the telephone for a minute or two—

(a) Begin your conversation where you left off?

(b) Say, "I'm sorry to have kept you waiting, Mr. Brown?"

(c) Say, "Thank you for waiting, Mr. Brown?"

Answers

1. Yes.
2. Yes.
3. "Will you hold the line, please, while I find out about that?"
4. "Good morning, Mr. Smith. This is Mr. Jones of Campbell & Sons."
5. "The furniture department, please." "Please take an order for ——."

Best "What Would You Do" solution, either (b) or (c).

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HOROSCOPE

"The stars incline, but do not compel."

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1937

Kindly stars guide today, according to astrology. The mind should be receptive to religious guidance and the thought easily directed toward the practical application of high ideals of living.

Women today may be changeable in their views and inclined to seek strange cults, but they will be quickly turned back to old-time faiths.

Success of a new cult founded on the Pacific Coast may turn scientific minds toward serious study of the occult world.

The planetary government appears to presage great interest in ceremonials of many sorts, including those connected with churches. Pomp and pageantry now will be much in evidence as military interest becomes more general.

The evening is fortunate for women, especially for their love affairs. The young man who calls under this rule of the stars is likely to have serious intentions.

Although the seers prophesy the probable victory of the rebel forces in Spain, they see in the horoscope of Senor Azana benefic aspects that are read as promising him increase of popularity.

For the King of Belgium anxiety is forecast, as his country faces perils of international scope.

Women now will direct attention to beauty culture, as the cosmetics mode loses its vogue.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of gain to which relatives may contribute. Clergymen will profit.

Children born on this day probably will be exceedingly clever, especially in expressing their thoughts. Subjects of this sign usually succeed in living up to their ideals.

Those who have celebrated it as a birthday include Elizabeth Cabot Carey Agassiz, educator, 1822, and Martin Van Buren, eighth President of the United States, 1782.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1937

Benefic aspects rule strongly today, according to astrology. It is a day in which to use all one's best energies in pushing business or professional affairs to a conclusion.

Under this rule of the stars there should be confidence and good judgment, especially in all building or improvement projects.

The planetary government stimulates commerce. This is a favorable date for entering into contracts or accepting orders for raw materials. Certain American exports will be in great demand.

Plans made under this direction of the stars for the new year should be practical and profitable in the end. Much temptation to speculate, however, should be heroically overcome.

Jupiter appears to promise splendid results in whatever is constructive. Vision of the future should cause the wise to safeguard certain interests.

Leaders will arise among the young and the old, the men and women of vision and experience. New alignments in politics and finance are prognosticated.

The eclipse of last week, while not of supreme astrological significance, was attended by certain disquieting features that indicate the war spirit. But peace may be maintained through wise diplomacy.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of good fortune. Money may come through ventures of more or less uncertainty.

Children born on this day may be exceedingly proud and always particular about appearances. Subjects of this sign may be imaginative and industrious. Writers belong to Sagittarius.

Edward H. Sothern, actor, was born on this day, 1859. Others who have celebrated it as a birthday include Joseph Conrad, author, 1856, and Friedrich Maximilien Muller, philologist, 1823.

METROPOLITAN Y.P.S.

There will be an important meeting of the young people in the church vestry tomorrow morning at 10.

Feuilleton—

ANDREW and IMOGENE

By ROE FULKERSON

Imogene walked behind Andrew's chair, and in passing stopped to rough up his hair and give his cheek an affectionate pinch.

"Still love me?" asked Andrew, looking over his shoulder at her.

"Umhuh."

"Why?"

"Oh, a woman has to love somebody, even if it is her own husband!"

"That should be easy!" he laughed.

"No, it isn't!" The hardest thing in the world is to keep right on loving the person to whom you are married," said Imogene seriously. "Quite the easiest thing in the world is to develop a sincere, honest affection and admiration for the man who is your husband and the father of your children.

"You live with him for years, and you know him even better than he knows himself. You have learned that he is infinitely kind, that he is infinitely generous. You catch him many times when he doesn't know it, making little sacrifices for you in the way of going places he doesn't want to go, and staying away from places he does want to go.

"You realize that he yields to your little wishes a thousand times when he doesn't want to, but because he has grown into the habit of sacrificing his time, his money and his wishes to please some little whim of yours. You realize that he is all that it takes to make up a sweet, kind husband, and you would sacrifice anything for him.

"That's not it. Nine out of ten have that feeling toward their husbands. But somehow that doesn't fill a woman's requirements of love. The time comes when you—oh, I don't know how to express it without seeming to be a mean, ungrateful wretch!"

"You mean you get on his nerves instead of his lap?" asked Andrew.

"It isn't anything to joke about!" protested Imogene. "Andrew, women are unreasonable creatures. A lot of times I purposely aggravate you. I try to exasperate you and make you angry. I get so irritated because it looks like you are getting into the state of mind where you just take me for granted, and I want you to get the same sort of a thrill out of me that you used to get when you came home at night and took me in your arms and acted as though you never ever wanted to let me go.

"Sometimes you come in in the evening and kiss me and push me away from you and look admiringly at me, and just when I think you are about to tell me how madly you love me, you ask me what we are having for our dinner! Oh, I could murder you then!

"I go out to parties with you and watch all evening and see how other women spoil you. You are a very nice person, Andrew, and I don't blame you for seeming to enjoy it so much. I am always wondering if it is the novelty of a new face and a new type which is appealing to you, or if you have grown tired of having me around all the time!"

"Why, darling! I don't understand what you are getting at!"

"That's the terrible part of it! I know you don't understand. But neither do I, for that matter. Nobody understands a woman. Least of all does she understand herself. She knows only that she has to love someone, even if it is her own husband. Not only that, but she realizes that this is not always easy to do day after day, week after week, month after month and year after year!"

"It's all right!" laughed Andrew. "I am satisfied!"

"I know it, and that's the most exasperating part! You are satisfied! I don't want you to be satisfied! I want you to be worried! I want you to be unhappy about me! I want you to be thrilled about me! Oh, I am just a woman and I don't know what I want!"

"That sort of leaves me up a tree, doesn't it?" said Andrew.

Toy Shop Needs Many More Toys

An earnest appeal for more toys was made for the Boy Scout toy shop today. Officials of the shop report that up to the present time the receipt of playthings has not been as great as in previous years. New toys will also be very much appreciated. Toys may be delivered to 1321 Government Street, and the phone number of the headquarters is E 5015 for those wishing their contributions to be collected. Donations may also be left at 861 Fort Street.

There is a shortage of dolls' clothes. Any form of plaything will be glady accepted.

Deanna Durbin Fifteen Today

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—This is Deanna Durbin's 15th birthday, but she will not be given that customary Hollywood birthday present, a mink coat.

The James Durbins could well afford to drape the furry symbol of success around their daughter's shoulders, but the Durbins are just not mink coat-minded.

THIEPVAL'S TRIP SHOWN

Naval Veterans See Slides of Ship's Voyage to Aid Flier's Attempt

Before a gathering of naval men last night in the Naval Veterans' branch of the Canadian Legion clubrooms, J. S. Hall, on board H.M.C.S. Thiepval when it was employed to transport gasoline and other supplies for Squadron Leader J. D. McLaren to aid him in his unsuccessful attempt to fly around the world in 1924, narrated the events of the voyage with the aid of lantern slides.

The flight ended when McLaren crashed in his Vickers Vimy Vulture amphibian in the Bering Sea after having completed almost half his journey. At the same time, however, the United States were attempting the same flight, but with a fleet of six planes. They accomplished their objective, their success being largely due to the fact that the United States Navy gave them every support, while McLaren only had the Thiepval to depend on. The Britisher's flight was sponsored by an oil company.

Mr. Hall explained that gas, food, clothing supplies and other necessities were deposited by the Thiepval from Japan right up the Siberian coast to Alaska and down the B.C. coast at 300-mile intervals along the route. About 500 to 600 gallons of gasoline were left at each point.

Many fine scenes depicting life among the Japanese, Russians and Alaskans were shown in the slides, some beautifully colored. H.M.C.S. Thiepval traveled about 15,000 miles, which took seven months.

The narrator was of the opinion that McLaren would have beaten the American's time had he not crashed. Chief Petty Officer W. Cryderman was in charge of the slides.

George Renton conveyed a vote of thanks to the pair on behalf of the branch.

Stamp News

For the first time in history a postage stamp is to picture a living President of the United States. Himself a veteran collector, President Franklin D. Roosevelt will be shown on a forthcoming Guatemalan issue, commemorating the 150th anniversary of the American constitution.

The miniature sheet is to consist of a block of four airmail stamps, bearing the heads of President Roosevelt, George Washington and a map of the three Americas. The Pan-American building in Washington will comprise the fourth stamp central design. Light and dark blue with a brown centre, the stamps will likely run to a printing of 100,000 miniature sheets, and appear about the first of the year.

In the interests of American goodwill, Cuba has announced issue of a series of symbolic postage stamps honoring the United States and all nations of North, South and Central America.

Since the 1937 U.S. stamp programme is now rounded out, it is likely the Post Office Department will turn next, in 1938, to revision of the regular series. The first of this group will probably appear in January. Before 1937 has closed, United States will have issued this year 15 commemoratives, two airmails and one souvenir pane.

Important new issues: Australia — set of three values to commemorate 150th anniversary of settlement of country; Peru—series of four in connection with the Inter-American Aeronautic Conference held recently at Lima; Spain — miniature sheets of the Toledo stamps on perforated and unwatermarked paper. Design shows ruins of bridge after an air raid.

Sunday's Symphony

By JACK GRANT

THE NEW YORK Philharmonic Symphony Society will present the following programme over the Columbia and Canadian Broadcasting networks at 12 noon tomorrow:

1. Mozart, Overture to "The Marriage of Figaro."
2. Lalo, Spanish Symphony for Violin and Orchestra, Op. 21; soloist, Mishel Piestro.
3. Dvorak, Symphonic Variations on an Original Theme, Op. 78.
4. Cadman, Dark Dancers of the Mardi-Gras: Fantasy for Orchestra (with Piano); soloist, Charles Wakefield Cadman.
5. Faure, Pavane.
6. Wagner, Overture to "Rienzi."

Listeners who have endured marriage services where a soprano sings "At Dawning," while the bride and bridegroom sign the register, will approach tomorrow's concert with some apprehension; for the composer of this sentimental interlude, Cadman, is the soloist in one of his own compositions for piano and orchestra. The writer of such music as "At Dawning" or "In the Land of Sky-blue Water," merits all the misgivings of critical listeners. The reassuring feature, at the moment, about Cadman's appearance with the society, is Mr. Barbirolli's unfailing good taste in programme building.

The composer of the "Dark Dancers of Mardi-Gras" is entitled, however, to his own explanation of the work. He writes: "The work takes its name from the negro side of the Mardi-Gras, although no negro themes have been used. It is built on one theme, with extensions. The negroes of New Orleans have their own Mardi-Gras celebration, the same time the white people have theirs. This fantasy is supposed to reflect the fantastic, the grotesque, the bizarre spirit of the carnival. The original theme goes into a major key in the central section (slower), and might represent the romantic feelings of the king and queen and the court in carnival fashion, for they carry out the same traditions as the whites in their Mardi-Gras. Dark dancers, you know, not white dancers. The king and court parade along Ranpart Street, which is sometimes called the Negro Main Street of New Orleans."

Victorians are familiar with the brilliant playing of Lalo's "Spanish Symphony," by Kayla Mitzel. It is a work written in five movements, but the third is usually omitted. The four remaining movements, as they will be played tomorrow, are marked "quite fast," "playfully," then "fast"; "slowly"; "rondo." Tschaikowsky was much impressed by this music. He wrote in 1878 to Madame von Meck, his long-suffering patroness, "Like Leo Delibes and Bizet, Lalo is careful to avoid all that is 'routinier,' seeks new forms without trying to be profound, and is more concerned with musical beauty than with tradition, as are the Germans."

The full title of Faure's composition is "Pavane Pour Orchestre, avec Choeur ad Libitum." The dance form, pavane, is analogous to the sarabande, the stately, measured movement to be found in most of J. S. Bach's "French Suites." The work is based chiefly on the theme for solo flute that begins at the second measure, over a pizzicato accompaniment of violins and violas.

The "original" theme, which Anton Dvorak used for his "Symphonic Variations," is thought by some musical historians to be taken from a Bohemian chorus. This theme is stated softly by the strings over held notes of the woodwinds, horns and trumpets. There are 27 variations, the last being in the form of a fugue.

ROYAL OAK

The fortnightly 500 card party was held in the Community Hall under the auspices of the Royal Oak Women's Institute, Wednesday evening. Prizes were won as follows: Ladies' first, Miss E. Phillips; second, Miss K. Oldfield; gentlemen's first, B. Hoole; second, J. Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Wilson entertained at a 500 card party at their home Monday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. V. Richards, F. Bobbett, Mrs. H. Lohr and W. J. Barker.

St. Michael's junior women's auxiliary met Monday afternoon in the Parish Hall. Plans were made for the concert to be held Saturday afternoon, December 11.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nimmo, formerly of Dauphin, Manitoba, have purchased L. G. Wilkinson's store at Langford. Mrs. Nimmo is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. F. Steclk, "Greentrees," Old West Road.

Vincent Rush, Old West Road, returned home Wednesday, after undergoing an operation in St. Joseph's Hospital.

A special birthday card party will be held in the Community Hall, under the auspices of the Royal Oak Women's Institute, Wednesday, December 8, at 8.

The old-time dance scheduled for December 3 in the Royal Oak Community Hall, has been postponed.

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COURT REPORTER

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Decision in the Strange Case of "KERRY AND THE KLAN"

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"—— CARRIED OUT, in accordance with the original sentence!" Thus, Kerry Blackburn was doomed to be hanged again!

But from here on, the life of this boy was filled with a series of incredible events. He was never hanged, for right after the Supreme Court's decision, he was spirited away by friends and hidden on a Southern Plantation where he remained in security while the matter cooled from its feverish pitch.

Next came the election of a new governor in Mississippi. He was swept into office on a platform which favored the sparing of Kerry Blackburn's life, and one of his first official acts was the commutation of the death sentence to life imprisonment.

But this was not the end. Two years later, Kerry was pardoned, after Ted Jarvis, the chief prosecuting witness, came forward with a statement that he might have been mistaken in identifying the boy as the killer of his brother.

Then, nearly twenty years later, Kerry Blackburn, the father of a happy family, had the last stigma of suspicion removed when an old, decrepit man, a former Whitecap, confessed his sins at a revival meeting. He was the murderer of Frank Jarvis!

This is a true case. Proof or citation may be had by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to "Bela Lanan—Court Reporter".

Starting Next Week

THE STRANGE CASE OF "THE CINDERELLA GIRL"

Don't Miss It—Follow It Daily In This Newspaper.

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LOCAL CLUBS TO HEAR "JAY"

Toronto Saturday Night Photographer Canadian Club Guest

T. G. Jaycocks, better known as "Jay," staff photographer of The Toronto Saturday night, will address meetings of the Men's and Women's Canadian Clubs here next week.

Tuesday afternoon at 2.45 is the hour set for the women's meeting, and Tuesday evening at 6.30 the men's club will hold a dinner in the Empress Hotel, at which Mr. Jaycocks will be guest. His subject on both occasions will be "Camera Conversations," which will be illustrated by color pictures of his own.

George M. Murray, M.P.P. for Lillooet, who this summer went to the Orient investigating trade conditions, will be the guest speaker at next Tuesday's luncheon gathering of the Kiwanis Club in the Empress Hotel.

In place of the usual Monday luncheon, the Gyro Club will hold a supper meeting next Monday evening in Terry's banquet hall. The affair will be open to Gyros and their wives, and after a programme of entertainment there will be dancing.

CHINESE Y.P.S.

A protest against the inhuman slaughter of innocent women and children in China and an appeal to a friendly power to use its influence to help alleviate their suffering, addressed to Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt during her recent visit here, were revealed at the regular meeting of the Interdenominational Chinese Young People's Forum, at the home of Rev. Leung Moi Fong.

The letter was written by Dora Hope, 13-year-old Victoria High School student. A reply from the United States vice-consul stating that it has already been forwarded to the Secretary of State for appropriate consideration was later received.

Miss Enid Cole gave an address on "Peace"; Miss M. Warnicker, Vancouver, gave several musical selections.

Miss Alice Cee was chairman

The treasurer's report was given by Violet Lore. Rebecca Leung presented brief reports from the Vancouver and Trail branches. Herbert Chan reported on the Chinese Youth Council.

Mun Hope, associate editor of the Montreal Students' Quarterly, announced that Lieut.-Col. F. W. L. Moore's article "Peace on Pacific Waters," has now been completed.

A vote of thanks was accorded Major L. Bullock-Webster for his interest in Chinese dramatic work. Brief speeches were given by B. Hope, Leslie Wong, William Chow and J. Hope.

On December 5, the executive will attend the First United Fellowship Tea in the First Church parlor.

Public education is apparently geting results in lessening the number of forest fires started by human carelessness.

"N.S.F." Cheques Luncheon Topic

The Credit Granters' Association will hold their weekly luncheon at Spencer's at 12.10 Tuesday. Claude L. Harrison, city prosecutor, will give a talk on "The Problem of N.S.F. Cheques and the Fraudulent Issuing of Cheques." This is a timely topic and one that will be of interest to all merchants in Victoria. An invitation is extended to members of the Chamber of Commerce and other merchants to attend.

CALLING ALL DOGS

By ALBERT PAYSON TERHUNE

Dogs With a Sense of Humor

My champion collie, Sunnybank Sigurdson, used to stray to an open window of the kitchen, on summer evenings. There he would bark softly until one of the maids gave him a triangle of toast left over from breakfast. Then he would trot around to the front porch, where I was sitting. Presently, back he would go to the kitchen window for another piece of toast. When I turned on the veranda light, before going to bed, I used to find anywhere from seven to 10 triangles of toast neatly distributed on the floor in a half circle around my chair. It was Sigurdson's idea of a joke. For he ate none of it.

One afternoon, as I was at work at my outdoor desk, Sunnybank Victrix strutted close past me, carrying a big dog-biscuit daintily between her jaws. Time after time, she paraded past me, thus, with her biscuit. At last she came to my desk and tugged gently at the sleeve of my hunting short. Then she led the way to a flower-border, into whose soft loam she had just stuck the corners of 21 dog-biscuits, pilfered by her from the kennel storeroom.

Thousands of dogs have a keen sense of humor of a sort. I wish you readers would tell us about dogs of yours which play queer tricks of their own devising. It will be interesting reading.

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CITY AND SUBURBAN CHURCH SERVICES

United Church of Canada

FIRST

Both services tomorrow in First United Church will be in charge of Rev. John E. Bell. At the morning service Mr. Bell will have associated with him R. M. Miller of Vancouver, who will speak on "Building Bridges." At the evening service Mr. Bell will speak on "The Uncomfortable Truth."

There will be special music at both services as follows:

Morning: Quartette, "Angels Hovering," Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Miss Elsie Robinson, J. M. Thomas and James Loudoun; anthem, "Sing Alleluia" (Dudley Buck), soloists, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, J. M. Thomas and James Petrie. Evening: Duet, "Nearer Home," Miss Elsie Robinson and W. C. Fyfe; anthem, "Saviour Thy Children Keep" (Sullivan).

FAIRFIELD

At tomorrow morning's service of Fairfield United Church Rev. Norman J. Crees will speak on "He Shall Not Make Haste." Mrs. L. Batchelor will sing "Spirit of God" (Neidlinger), and the anthem will be "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes" (Clark-Whitfield).

"God and Your Marriage" will be the evening sermon subject. Miss Adeline Sangster will sing "Lord's Prayer" (Malotte) and the choir will render "I Will Mention" (Sullivan).

OAK BAY

A special "white gifts" service will be held in Oak Bay United Church tomorrow at 11. There will be no meeting of the Sunday schools, but they will assemble at 10.40 and then go up to the church by classes, when after the opening worship the story will be told by Mrs. Mulholland. Then the white gifts will be presented. Both Sunday schools will unite for this service. Dr. T. H. Johns will sing a solo and the choir will render the anthem, "O Taste and See" (Goss).

In the evening R. M. Millar, Vancouver, member of the foreign mission committee of the conference, will speak to the congregation. H. L. Harmsworth will sing the baritone solo, "The Tabernacle of God Is With Man" (Mitchell), and the anthem will be "By Babylon's Wave" (Gounod).

BELMONT AVENUE

Services at Belmont Avenue tomorrow will open with Sunday school and Bible classes at 9.45. At the morning worship the pastor, Rev. Bryce H. Wallace, will speak on "Voices From Heaven." The choir, under the direction of Miss D. Bailey, with Miss Geste Evans at the organ, will render "Incline Thine Ear, O Lord." The evening service will open with a song service at 7.15, conducted by A. H. Hundleby.

Subject for the evening service will be "On Giving a Feast." The choir will sing "Lord, for Thy Tender Mercies Sake." Midweek services will be held at 8 on Wednesday and young people will meet on Friday at 7.30.

ST. AIDAN'S

At the morning service at St. Aidan's United Church tomorrow the message will be given by Rev. M. McKee, a former minister of the church. Mr. McKee will spend the winter in Victoria, and an invitation is extended to all old friends to meet him tomorrow.

Rev. T. Griffiths will conduct the service and preach in the evening.

METROPOLITAN

The services in Metropolitan United Church tomorrow will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, who will preach at the morning service on "The Economy of God." In the evening Mr. Whitehouse will preach on "Do Things Just Happen?"

"I Saw the Lord" (Harris) will be the anthem sung by the choir at the morning service, and Miss Stella Burlton will sing the solo "Forward With Christ" (O'Hara). At the evening service the choir will sing the anthem "Hail, Gladdening Light" (Martin). John Bray will sing a selected solo.

During December an organ recital will be given on each Sunday evening, commencing at 7. The programme for tomorrow follows: Preludio and Adagio from Guilmant's Third Sonata, Lemare's Second Andantino in D Flat, Pastorale by MacMaster. Organist, Edward Parsons.

Next Tuesday Herbert Pendray will show colored motion pictures of his travels in South America, Africa and Europe at 8 in the schoolroom.

CENTENNIAL

At Centennial United Church tomorrow at 11 Rev. Dr. W. D Reid of Montreal will preach on "If God Is My Father What Does That Mean to Me?", and at 7.30 he will take for his topic "An Old Testament Conversion."

At the morning service the choir will render the anthem, "O Holy Father" (Marchetti), and in the evening the anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord" (Roberts), with solo obligato by Frank Hollins. Mrs W. Cadwgan will sing a solo, "Hear Us, O Father" (Millard).

VICTORIA WEST

The 25th anniversary of the Victoria West United Church will be observed tomorrow. At 11 the minister, Rev. C. D. Clarke, will preach on "Our Heritage." The choir will render the anthem "Make This Dwelling Place Thine Own" (Gabriel), and the male quartette will sing "The Wayside Cross."

At 7.30 the service will be in charge of the session and Dr. W. J. Sipprell will speak. The anthems will be "Te Deum" (Jackson) and "Sun of My Soul" (Turner). George Guy will be the soloist and the Misses I. Watson and C. Lewis will sing a duet.

The anniversary supper will be held on Monday.

In 1889 the young people of Pandora Avenue Methodist Church started services in Victoria West, meeting in the homes. The following year a church was built and a minister appointed by the Methodist Conference. The present building was opened on December 1, 1912.

WILKINSON ROAD

Wilkinson Road United Sunday school and adult Bible classes for men and women will meet at 10 a.m. tomorrow. Public worship will follow at 11.15, when Rev. W. Allan will preach. Under the leadership of D. W. Phillips, the choir will render the anthem, "Hear My Prayer, O Lord" (Fillmore).

The Wilkinson Road auxiliary of the Women's Missionary Society will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, commencing at 2 p.m.

On Wednesday evening a meeting for prayer and fellowship will be held at the home of G. Jones, Carey Road, commencing at 8. The choir will hold a social in the schoolroom on Thursday evening at 8.

Anglican

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

At Christ Church Cathedral tomorrow Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 and 11 (choral), and there will be evensong at 7.30. The Bishop of Columbia will be the peracher both morning and evening.

ST. JOHN'S

The services at St. John's Church tomorrow will consist of Holy Communion at 8, morning prayer and sermon at 11, and evensong and sermon at 7.30.

Ven. Archdeacon F. H. Graham of Nelson will continue his series of Advent sermons on "The Kingdom" at the 11 o'clock service. In the evening Rev. G. R. V. Bolster will be the preacher.

ST. MATTHIAS

Services at St. Matthias Church tomorrow will be celebration of Holy Communion at 8, junior church at 9.30, and church school at 9.45. There will be a choral Communion with sermon at 11. The girls' confirmation class will meet at 2.30. Evensong and sermon will be held at 7.30. A full choir will assist at both services, and Rev. Alan Gardiner will preach both morning and evening.

ST. MICHAEL'S

The services at St. Michael's Church, Royal Oak, tomorrow will be as follows: Holy Communion at 8 and matins at 11. Canon Wickens will officiate.

Baptist

FIRST

Assisting Rev. G. A. Reynolds at First Baptist Church tomorrow evening will be Rev. Frank Stanley of the Soudan Interior Mission, who will have a story of conditions in Egypt and of the spread of Christian influence there. Following the evening service, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed.

The subject of Mr. Reynolds's morning pulpit message will be, "My Future Assured By the Past," Psalm 23, 6 forming the scriptural base of the theme.

At the morning service, Miss S. M. Muir will sing "Open the Gates of the Temple" (Knappett) and the choir will render Jackson's "Te Deum." Music for the evening will include a solo by Mrs. R. M. McIntosh, a quartette, "O, Perfect Love" (Jones), by Miss Jean Atchison, Miss Florence Atchison, Norman Duckworth and Alex Hall, and the anthem, "Come, Holy Ghost" (Pattestrina) by the choir.

Sunday school and Bible classes will meet at 10, at which hour the adult Bible class will also gather, under the leadership of the minister. On Wednesday evening at 8 the mid-week prayer service will be held.

CENTRAL

"The Great Shepherd Christ in the Shepherd Psalm and the Hebrews," will be the theme at

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British-Israel

B.-I. ASSOCIATION

On Tuesday in the Y.M.C.A. Hall Major K. C. Cooke will address the Victoria and District British-Israel Association on "The Children of the Kingdom." Major Cooke will prove that they are a literal people with an earthly function, a people organized to carry out the Kingdom of God.

Meetings for the week follow: Tuesday, Major J. C. Cooke in the Y.M.C.A.; Wednesday, Royal Oak and Marigold combined meeting, Colquitz Hall, corner Wilkinson and Roy Roads; speaker, Mrs. Brake. Thursday, Minnie Eason Circle at home of Mrs. Playfair, Astor Apartments, 1045 Rockland Avenue, 2.45; prayer circle, vestry of Church of Our Lord. All meetings begin at 8 except where otherwise stated.

MIDDLETON GUILD

"Israel, Babylon and Edom, Who Will Possess Palestine?" will be the subject of E. E. Richards, in an address to be given under the auspices of the British-Israel World Federation, on Monday at 8, in the Campbell Building.

Mr. Richards in dealing with the Palestine question, will bring new angles of thought to bear on the situation which will be dealt with in the following order:

"Do the Jews represent all Israel? Are the Arab disturbers of the peace, Ishmaelites or Edomites? Does the New Covenant in Christ abrogate the Old Covenant in Moses? If the Old Mosaic Covenant is abrogated, what force have Jewish claims? Did Christ redeem Israel, apart from the Jews, or did He not? Who, does the Bible state, are the inheritors of the "Promises made to the Fathers"? If Israel, apart from the Jews, were redeemed, where are they?"

Christian Science

FIRST SCIENTIST

"God the Only Cause and Creator" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, tomorrow.

The golden text will be: "The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament showeth his handywork. There is no speech nor language, where their voice is not heard" (Psalms 19: 1-3).

Among the citations which will comprise the lesson-sermon will be the following from the Bible: "Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God" (I John 3: 1).

The lesson-sermon will also include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "In Science man is the offspring of Spirit. The beautiful, good and pure constitute his ancestry. His origin is not, like that of mortals, in brute instinct, nor does he pass through material conditions prior to reaching intelligence. Spirit is his primitive and ultimate source of being; God is his Father, and Life is the law of his being."

California Indians were the most skilful of primitive peoples in the art of basket making says an anthropologist.

Other Denominations

EMPIRE MINISTRY

The Crystal Garden Auditorium was filled to capacity last Sunday evening for the services by Rev. S. R. Orr. Further arrangements have been made to accommodate worshippers tomorrow, when the service will again be held in the Crystal Garden Concert Hall. Mr. Orr's subject will be "Can the London-Paris Axis Save Europe? Prophecy's Warning to Israel Britain."

The questions to be answered will be: "Will France go Fascist? Should Anglo-Saxondom make any alliances? Britain and France agree to return German colonies; will Hitler give the required assurances of a durable peace? Why did Hitler change his general war plans? How was Europe to be partitioned by the Fascists? What is behind the speeding up of Britain's $130,000,000 for air raid protection? Have instructions been issued to seize and intern Japan's nationals here? Is the fate of Australia and New Zealand being decided in China?"

The service will begin when the auditorium is full. Community singing will precede the lecture. The music will be supplied by Miss Ethel James (piano), Miss Gladys Shrapnel (violinist) and Miss Kathleen Fallows (cellist). The Bible class will be held at 11 in Room 428, Hotel Douglas.

MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

"D. L. Moody, the Unity of His Life," will be the subject of the evening message at the Christian and Missionary Alliance Gospel Tabernacle tomorrow. Rev. J. Strain will deal with the sevenfold unity of the life of the foremost evangelist of modern times and America's greatest soul winner, endeavoring to show the source of Mr. Moody's power.

At the morning service the pastor will speak on "The Triple Glory of Christ," and the Lord's Supper will be observed. Sunday school will be held at 2.30.

The weekly prayer service will be held on Tuesday evening, the Women's Missionary Society on Wednesday at 2.45, the Young People's Bible study on Thursday at 8, and on Friday at the same hour will be held the study in the book of Exodus at the Bible study class.

PENTECOSTAL MISSION

"Prevailing Prayer" will be the subject used by Pastor E. M. Robinson of the Broad Street Pentecostal Mission, tomorrow at 11. Such phrases of this theme as, "The Recompense of Prayer," "The Power of Prayer" and "The Possibilities of Prayer," will be dealt with.

In the evening at 7.30 the subject will be "A Slave Set Free." The Hawaiian Instrumental quartette will lead the congregation in a number of choruses as a special number.

FIRST

At First Spiritualist Church, Sons of England Hall, 1216 Broad Street, the Lyceum will be conducted tomorrow by Rev. Flora F. Frampton at 11. This Lyceum is for adults as well as children.

At the evening service at 7.30 Rev. W. L. Holder will give a trance address. There will be messages by flowers at the close of the service. The soloist will be Mrs. E. Fanthorpe.

A public message circle will be held Monday at 8 in Room 70, Surrey Block, conducted by Mr. Holder. The young people's club will provide the entertainment at the church bazaar in the S.O.E. Hall on Wednesday evening. The Thursday "open door" circle will be held in the Surrey Block at 7.45, conducted by Mr. Holder.

CHRIST'S HEALING CENTRE

A the weekly meeting at Christ's Healing Centre, in the Campbell Building, tomorrow evening at 7.30, the speakers will be A. W. Arnup, whose subject will be "The Divine Healing of Naaman," and Dr. Randall Colyer, whose subject will be "Applied Metaphysics." Dr. Colyer will also answer the question "Does distance interfere with or limit God's healing power?"

Dr. Estella Kelley will give an inspirational twilight message, with soft music, using as her subject "The Light of God and Illumination From Within."

Sid McAllister will be the soloist, and Miss Betty Mulliner will render violin selections.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

The Victoria Theosophical Society will hold a public meeting on Tuesday evening at 8 in the Theosophical Hall, 204 Jones Bulding, Fort Street. The topic will be "The Two Paths." Short addresses on this subject will be delivered by some of the members, and will be followed by the usual questionnaire.

CITY TEMPLE

"Incurable Optimism" will be the subject of the morning message at the Victoria City Temple when James Forrester of Queen's University and field secretary of the Intervarsity and Interschool Christian Fellowship of Canada will be the speaker.

At the evening service Rev. J. N. Brunton of Edmonton will be the minister in charge. Mr. Brunton will preach on "Self Realization."

"O Praise the Lord," by the Earl of Wilton, will be the morning anthem. In the evening the Temple choir will sing "Saviour Breathe an Evening Blessing" (C. A. Havens). P. Lansdell, bass, will be the evening soloist and will sing Wilfrid Sanderson's "Beyond the Dawn."

GRACE LUTHERAN

At Grace Lutheran Church the pastor, Rev. Edwin Bracher, will preach tomorrow morning at 11 on "A Christian's Resources." At the evening service at 7.45 the sermon theme will be "The Fall of Man." Mrs. Otto Effa and Mrs.

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Presbyterian

ST. ANDREW'S

The congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will hear as guest preacher tomorrow for the morning and evening services, Rev. John McNab of Toronto.

The soloist for the morning service will be Miss Isabelle Crawford, who will sing, "Behold, There Shall Be a day" (Alfred Wooler). The choir will sing as the morning anthem, "Lord, I Have Loved the Habitations" (Torrance).

In the evening, Arnold W. Trevett will sing "The Earth Is the Lord's" (Lynes), and the evening anthem will be "Still, Still With Thee" (Berridge).

ST. PAUL'S

Rev. James Hyde, minister of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, will preach tomorrow morning on the subject: "The Ministry of the Holy Spirit in the Church and the World."

Rev. T. Titcombe of Africa will preach in the evening on "Savages Transformed Into Saints." J. J. Mathieson will be the guest soloist in the morning.

CHRISTADELPHIANS

ORANGE HALL, COURTNEY STREET, morning 11, evening 7.30. Subject, "Christ as a Teacher." All welcome.

SHRINE TEMPLE, VIEW ST., MORNING, 11 o'clock; evening, 7.30. Public lecture, "A Councillor's Dilemma." All welcome.

GOSPEL HALLS

OAKLANDS GOSPEL HALL—HILLSIDE car terminus. Sunday, 10 a.m. Bible classes; 11 a.m., worship; 3 p.m., Sunday school; 7.30 p.m., gospel service, speaker, Mr. Jas. Forrester, B.A., western field secretary for Intervarsity and Interhigh School Fellowships; subject, "Light Amid the Present Shadows." Tuesday, 8 p.m., missionary prayer meeting. Thursday, 2.30 p.m., women's gospel meeting. Friday, 8 p.m., Young People's meeting.

REDFERN GOSPEL HALL, 1602 Redfern St. Sunday, 11 a.m., Breaking of Bread; 3 p.m., Sunday school and Bible classes 7.30 p.m., gospel speaker, Mr. J. Thomson. Wednesday, 7.45, missionary address by a worker of the Sudan Interior Mission. Friday, 7.30, children's lantern lecture. Come.

HEBREW

HEBREW BIBLE CLASS — MALACHI. Bnd. Albina St. Rev. Wm. E. Daly, LL.D. The admiral's father, Dr. Evans, was a personal friend of Dr. Daly. Dr. Evans was recommended by him for commissioner of education.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES — SERVICES: Sunday, 10 a.m., 7.30 p.m. Wednesday and Friday, 8 p.m. Suite 3, Surrey Block, Yates Street.

LUTHERAN

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH, BLANSHARD at Queens. Pastor, Rev. Edwin Bracher. Services, 11, 7.45.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (FERN ST., OFF Fort). Sunday: Meeting for worship, 11 a.m.

SPIRITUAL

FIRST SPIRITUALIST CHURCH, 1216 Broad St. Lyceum, 11 a.m.—Trance address, 7.30 p.m. Rev. W. L. Holder. Flower messages. Public message circle, Monday, 7.45 p.m., Surrey Block.

SPIRITUAL MISSION OF ALEXIS, 1042 Balmoral Rd. 7.30, address. Mrs. McDermott, messages. Tea, Tuesday.

THEOSOPHICAL

VICTORIA THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY—Public meeting, Jones Bldg., Fort St., Tuesday at 8. Subject, "The Two Paths."

Salvation Army

VICTORIA CORPS

The three meetings at the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, tomorrow, will be led by members of the Corps Cadet Brigade, a number of young people who meet in class for study of the Bible, rules, regulations and doctrines of the army. The local brigade numbers 18 cadets. Some who have graduated after passing higher grade examinations, will assist in the meetings. One of the cadets will give the Bible lesson in the morning Holiness meeting and Mrs. Adjutant Watt, the corps cadet guardian, will speak at the evening meeting on "The Way to Heaven."

On Friday evening at 8, Herbert Pendray will show moving pictures of the Coronation and also of his world travels. This will be held under the auspices of the Home League in the Citadel.

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MORNING SERVICE—11 o'Clock
Soloist—Miss Isabelle Crawford
EVENING SERVICE—7.30
Soloist—Arnold W. Trevett
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of Toronto, will preach both morning and evening.

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The Lord's Supper
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School
7.30 p.m., D. L. Moody—"The Unity of His Life"
Special Vocal Music with Miss Sylvia Boyden, L.R.S.M., accompanist.

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Quadra and Mason Streets
Rev. G. A. Reynolds, Minister
Sunday Services—11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
C. C. Warren, L.R.S.M., A.T.C.M.
Organist and Choir Director

Emmanuel Baptist Church
Gladstone Avenue at Fernwood
Services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
Sunday School, 9.45 a.m.
Pastor—REV. DR. A. S. IMRIE

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Pastor—REV. J. B. ROWELL, Th.D.
11 a.m.—Special Speaker—REV. FRANK STANLEY
3 p.m.—MISSIONARY RALLY
Thomas Titcombe and Frank Stanley of Sudan Interior Mission
7.30 p.m.—The Pastor Will Speak
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7.30 p.m.—"DO THINGS JUST HAPPEN?"
Organ Recital, from 7 to 7.30 p.m., Edward Parsons
Tuesday, Dec. 7, at 8 p.m., in the Schoolroom—Motion Pictures, shown by H. J. Pendray.

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SUNDAY SERVICES
11 a.m.—Rev. John E. Bell (Assisted by Rev. R. M. Miller of Vancouver)
7.30 p.m.—REV. JOHN E. BELL
SUNDAY SCHOOL
9.45 a.m.—Intermediates and Seniors
11 a.m.—Primaries and Juniors
Monday, 8 p.m.—Young People's Society

Centennial United Church
Gorge Road, Near Government St.
Preacher—Rev. Dr. W. D. Reid of Mohtreal
11 a.m.—"If God Is My Father What Does That Mean to Me?"
7.30 p.m.—"An Old Testament Conversion"
Soloist—Mrs. W. Cadwgan Williams

Fairfield United Church
Corner Moss and Fairfield
Rev. Norman J. Crees, B.D., S.T.M.
11 a.m.—"NOT HASTE"
To Children: "UNDER THE SNOW"
7.30 p.m.—"GOD AND YOUR MARRIAGE"

VICTORIA WEST UNITED CHURCH
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25th Anniversary Services
SUNDAY, DEC. 5
11 a.m.—Rev. C. D. Clarke
7.30 p.m.—Rev. W. J. Sipprell, B.A., D.D.
Subject—"Study in a Time of Storm"
Special Music at Both Services
Monday, 6.30 p.m.—Anniversary Supper

PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY
BROAD ST. Pastor—E. W. Robinson
SUNDAY SERVICES
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Communion Service
Subject—"PREVAILING PRAYER"
7.30 p.m.—Subject, "A SLAVE SET FREE"
Bright Singing Good Music

OAK BAY UNITED CHURCH
Sunday Services, Dec. 5
11 a.m.—"White Gifts" Service. Both Sunday schools joining with the congregation.
7.30 p.m.—Mr. R. M. Miller of Vancouver will speak.
Sunday Schools will assemble at 10.40 a.m.
Minister—Rev. P. R. Dredge, M.A. Residence, 1550 Wilmot Place.
Choirmaster—Lawton Partington

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Sunday, 11 a.m.—Sunday School
Sunday, 7.30 p.m.—"The Transcendant Principle"
Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Young People's Society
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—"Spiritual Independence"
Friday, 8 p.m.—Class, "Basic Truth"

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Guest speaker—Mr. A. W. Arnup
"The Divine Healing of Naaman"
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Dr. Estella Kelley
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Victoria City Temple
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9.45 a.m.—School of Religious Education
11 a.m.—"Incurable Optimism" Mr. James Forrester
7.30 p.m.—"Self Realization" Rev. J. N. Brunton

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Monday, Dec. 6, at 8 p.m., in Campbell Building, Douglas St.
E. E. RICHARDS will lecture on—
"ISRAEL, BABYLON AND EDOM—Or Who Will Possess Palestine?" New Angles.
Bookroom and Lending Library, Winch Bldg., 640 Fort St., 10 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.

CHURCH OF OUR LORD
(FREE CHURCH OF ENGLAND)
11 a.m.—Ordination Service. Preacher—Rt. Rev. George Marshall, D.D., Bishop of the Eastern Synod of Canada
7.30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon. Preacher—The Bishop

EMPIRE MINISTRY
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"Can the London-Paris Axis Save Europe?"
THE WEEK'S NEWS—
Gardiner says, "War Tension Grows." Amery says, "Perilous Period Ahead." Soviet warns all aggressor nations. Japan defies U.S. and Britain. Britain approves return of colonies and concessions to avert crisis. Mussolini tells the world that Japan is invulnerable.
"Prophecy's Warning to Israel-Britain"
Will France go Fascist? Should Anglo-Saxondom have any alliances? Why did Hitler change his war plans? Have instructions been issued to seize Japan's nationals here?
For Full List of Questions, See Press Story, This Page
Bible Class in Room 428, Douglas Hotel, 11 a.m. Community Sing, 7.15 p.m.
Come Early and Give the Ushers a Chance to Arrange Extra Seating
Music by Miss Ethel James (piano), Miss Gladys Shrapnel (violinist), Miss Kathleen Fallows (cellist).

ANGLICAN SERVICES

St. John's Church
8 o'clock—Holy Communion
11 o'clock—Morning Prayer
Preacher, Ven. Archdeacon F. H. Graham.
7.30 o'clock—Evensong.
Preacher—Rev. G. R. V. Bolster

Christ Church Cathedral
SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT
Holy Communion—8 o'clock
Choral Communion—11 o'clock
Preacher—The Bishop of Columbia
Evensong—7.30
Preacher—The Bishop of Columbia
James Bay Mission Service—7.30 o'clock

ST. MARY'S, OAK BAY
Holy Communion—8 o'clock and 12 Noon
Matins and Sermon—11 o'clock
Evensong and Sermon—7 o'clock
Senior Sunday School—9.45 o'clock
Junior Sunday School—11 o'clock
Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns, M.A.
Rev. H. St.J. Payne, M.A., Assistant

Trustees Make Election Pleas

Candidates for School Board Posts Heard By Residents of Oaklands District

Policies of aspirants to seats on Victoria's School Board were enunciated briefly at the first public gathering of the year's civic election campaign, as candidates addressed the Oaklands Parent-Teacher Association at Oaklands Auditorium last night.

Unable to attend the meeting, Robert E. Green sent a letter to Mrs C. Kinney, chairman, stating he had decided to enter the by-election for the one-year term left vacant by the retirement of W. C. Moresby, K.C. His decision will place him in a contest against A. C. Pike instead of Mrs. A. S. Christie, who stands for Trustee Mrs. W. E. Maclaurin's vacated post.

All five candidates for four two-year terms spoke.

Trustee C. R. Bishop, seeking re-election, briefly reviewed his activities on the board. He took upon himself considerable credit for securing the new auditorium for Oaklands, he said.

Trustee Walter Staneland spoke of his efforts to carry out the wishes of the ratepayers and to look after the interests of city education. He commended the P.-T.A. for its energetic work in community activity as well as in raising funds for school purposes, including purchase of library books. Trustee Staneland outlined the school board financial condition, referring specifically to the present need for rigid economy. He also spoke of the Junior High School established this year, remarking on the value of that institution, made possible through severe shrinkage in Victoria school population.

NO AXE TO GRIND

Regret over the loss to the board of Trustee W. C. Moresby, K.C., and Trustee N. E. Maclaurin was voiced by Trustee John Wallace. When he had appeared before the Oaklands P.-T.A. two years ago he had promised to give sincere, conscientious service. He had lived up to that promise and hoped to continue to serve "with no axe to grind." Trustee Wallace mentioned the serious financial position of the board during the year, and touched briefly upon possibilities of the new survey.

Frank Mulliner, a resident here for 29 years, declared he was particularly interested in the school board, which could assist so materially in caring for the interests of those "children of today who will be the men and women of tomorrow."

He made no promises, but considered himself equipped with a business knowledge and ability which would be of value in the administration of school affairs. In curricular matters, he noted, the board was virtually bound by the regulations of the provincial department.

W. P. Marchant expressed his appreciation of the debt he owed Victoria as a resident here for many years and his desire to make some contribution to public service.

FOUR-POINT PROGRAMME

He advocated a four-point programme embodying efficiency and economy, with efficiency ranking first. Secondly, he stressed the importance of securing and maintaining teaching staffs of the highest calibre. Thirdly, he advocated closest co-operation between the board and provincial authorities in matters of educational developments, and lastly he emphasized the importance of vocational training to prepare youth particularly for the basic industries of the province. By such training the young people would be equipped to fill their places in the commercial and industrial world where employment possibilities existed, he said.

Mrs. A. S. Christie, the only by-election candidate who spoke, expressed the belief the school board required a woman member. It was necessary for a woman to give views on questions related to the work for girls in the classes, she said. If women could pay taxes they were entitled to representation, she added, before vouching her willingness to work to the best of her ability in the interests of education and the taxpayer.

The meeting was opened by the singing of O Canada to the accompaniment of the school orchestra. Routine business of the association was conducted and the evening closed with a concert programme by the pupils of the junior grades.

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Should Limit Wives' Work

Mrs. Steeves Suggests Minister Should Sponsor Legislation

"I hope the Minister of Labor will soon consider passing a law making it illegal for housewives to work after 7 o'clock in the evenings," said Mrs. Dorothy G. Steeves, C.C.F., North Vancouver, in the Legislature last night when Hon. G. S. Pearson's amendment to the Factories Act, which would curtail certain cleaning, dyeing and pressing establishments, was in its third reading.

Mr. Pearson explained to the House that the amendment would make it illegal for such establishments to be open for business more than 12 hours a day. He said it was not intended to hurt or injure any small operator or put the business in the hands of the larger concerns, thus creating monopolies, as Mrs. Steeves suggested when the bill was in second reading in the afternoon.

The minister said a very bad condition had developed in this industry and that small operators were working practically day and night, and cutting prices. It was in danger of demoralization, he said. He referred particularly to the Oriental shops, where children were often employed. He thought they should be brought into line with the larger establishments.

Mrs. Steeves said she knew several Canadians who operated such shops and she feared the new regulations would be disastrous to them.

Protest Rush In Legislature

The calling of three-a-day sittings of the Legislature next week was protested by the Opposition yesterday as rushing things unnecessarily.

"Give us decent hours so we can do our work properly," said Harold Winch, C.C.F., Vancouver East. "It means we have to work from 8 in the morning till 2 the next morning."

"The Minister of Labor should invoke his Hours of Work Act," chimed in R. W. Bruhn, Independent, Salmon Arm.

R. L. Maitland, K.C., Conservative, Point Grey; Dr. J. Lyle Telfor, C.C.F., Vancouver East, and E. E. Winch, C.C.F., Burnaby, joined in the protest when the Premier presented the resolution ordering three sittings a day.

OBJECTION TO HOSPITAL ACT

Dr. J. D. Hunter's Disapproval of Change Answered By Weir

Objection, as far as the City of Victoria and the Jubilee Hospital were concerned, to the Provincial Secretary's act to amend the Hospital Act, revising government assistance to hospitals, was made in the Legislature yesterday afternoon by Dr. J. D. Hunter, Conservative, Victoria.

Hospitalization in British Columbia had increased four times as fast as the population of the province, Dr. G. M. Weir said, in explaining his bill. Costs had gone up greatly. Government grants to hospitals had risen from $994,000 in 1929 to $1,072,000 last year and municipal costs for hospitals had risen from $555,000 in 1930 to $733,413 in 1936.

There were many chronic cases in hospitals that could be treated in private homes for $1 a day, instead of $3 a day. The whole system of collection could be improved. The stay of non-paying patients in hospitals was longer than the stay of the paying patients. They had to stay somewhere, but expensive hospitals were not the place. He said the government wanted to treat the hospitals fairly, help with the evacuation of chronic cases and aid in the administration. The changes were recommended by the leading hospital authorities of the continent.

SAYS BRITAIN IS UNALARMED

H. H. Hollins Gives Impressions of Short Trip to England

"The possibility of being involved in a European war seems remote to the average Englishman, and the continent is a very popular place for holiday makers," said H. H. Hollins, who has just returned from a visit to Britain.

Owing to the favorable rate of exchange and the friendliness of the people, Germany seemed to be the first favorite with travelers, he said.

It was 24 years since Mr. Hollins last visited England, and among the many changes which have taken place was the amazing development of the motor traffic, the extensive construction of new and magnificent trunk roads and the growth of the larger towns with the serious traffic problems thus created in the old congested centres.

"Unless something is done there seems nothing to prevent London extending to the south coast of England," Mr. Holland said. "In Birmingham there is a movement on foot to put a 'green belt' around the city by the public acquisition of the surrounding countryside and so prevent the town's extension beyond that limit."

Home owning was the exception among the working population 25 years ago, but now it had received a great stimulus through the growth of building societies and municipal banks. Owing to public construction of so many new roads and the fact that land values went untaxed, this housing development had given rise to a positive "land ramp." Large land syndicates were buying up the land adjacent to these thoroughfares and subdividing it for home building.

The charming old-world villages and towns in the Cotswold country still remained unspoiled, and the modern motor stage coach found some difficulty in negotiating the narrow roads and lanes, both there and in other parts of rural England and Wales.

Mr. Hollins said that when he went to see the grave of Capt. George Vancouver in Petersham churchyard, he found the arbutus tree planted there was a very healthy and flourishing specimen.

W. A. McAdam at British Columbia House and his secretary were both very busy, but found time to be genial and helpful. Canada House was humming with visiting Canadians, receiving and writing letters, reading home newspapers, consulting guide books and getting information.

Pete Kelly Now With Pittsburgh

DETROIT—Pete (Red) Kelly, utility forward on the Red Wing hockey team, which brought Detroit two Stanley Cup championships, has been turned over to Pittsburgh Hornets, Detroit farm team in the International-American League, Manager Jack Adams said Thursday night. All other National Hockey League clubs waived on Kelly.

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SAYS DISEASED MEAT IS SOLD

Legislature Hears Discussion on Tubercular Cattle

A cow could be partially diseased with tuberculosis and its nondiseased parts still be fit for human consumption, Dr. K. C. MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, said in the Legislature last night.

He was asked by George M. Murray, Liberal, Lillooet, if cattle suffering from the disease had been sold in the meat markets of Vancouver.

The minister said that was more than he could definitely answer, but explained a cow, suspected of the disease, could only be sold for human use if sent to an abattoir for inspection by Dominion Government officials.

Mr. Murray said he understood such meat was being sold, and he considered it an outrage.

No action was taken on his charge, and the Act respecting the grading of beef, for the protection of the consuming public, was put through its final reading.

Answering R. W. Bruhn, Independent, Salmon Arm, Louis Le Bourdais, Liberal, Lillooet, who piloted the bill through the House, said the chief reason for beef grading was to help the housewife when she selected her meat.

Vancouver City, he said, consumed 1,600 head of cattle a week, a great deal of it supplied by the Cariboo country. This province was a beef-eating country, he said, "or at least it should be."

There were four grades of beef, he explained, choice, good, medium and common.

Dr. MacDonald said the act, at first, would apply only to Victoria and Greater Vancouver, but he felt sure, that before long, the rest of the province would want it.

Macgregor Macintosh, Conservative, the Islands, said he was in favor of the principle, but he felt the act under discussion was restricted legislation.

Mayhew Given 1,839 Majority

Robert W. Mayhew, M.P.-elect, secured a plurality of 1,839 over Bruce A. McKelvie, Conservative candidate, in last Monday's federal by-election, according to official returns announced yesterday by Sydney Child, returning officer.

The official figures indicated more than 78 per cent of those registered voted on election day. Of the 30,419 registered, 23,842 cast votes.

The final totals for each of the candidates were: Mr. Mayhew 9,493, Mr. McKelvie 7,654 and J. King Gordon, C.C.F., 6,550.

House Rushes Through Bills

Twenty Given Final Reading at Night Session

The Legislature put 20 bills through final reading last night and practically cleared the order paper of minor legislation, in a sitting that lasted two and a half hours and followed a three-hour session in the afternoon.

The House rushed its business, bill after bill being put through. There was little discussion except on one or two.

At 11.30 last night, when Premier Pattullo moved adjournment to 2.30 this afternoon, Harold E. Winch took exception to a Saturday session. He said it would only delay C.C.F. members in their work and make them slower next week, for it would give them no time for preparation.

Dr. J. J. Gillis, Liberal, Yale, while an act to amend the Public Libraries Act was under discussion, told the Provincial Secretary some of the books in the public libraries were not fit to be on the shelves, and he asked who selected them. Dr. G. M. Weir said they were selected by committees and they were supposed to be good books, although he realized some of the fiction was not quite up to the mark.

Other bills put through final reading last night included amendments to the Grasshopper Control Act, the Industrial School for Girls, respecting private welfare institutions, respecting provincial infirmaries, the Provincial Home for the Aged, the Village Municipalities' Act, the Prince Rupert Enabling Act, 1936, the Municipal Elections Act, relating to the corporation of the city of Merritt, the Land Settlement and Development Act.

Hostak Winner In First Round

TACOMA—Al Hostak, Seattle's contender for middleweight champion Freddie Steele's crown, added another to his knockout string Thursday night by stopping Don La Rue, 159, Hollywood, in the opening round of a scheduled 10 round bout. Hostak weighed 155.

La Rue was floored three times, the knockout coming two seconds before the end of the round.

Visitors at Maiden Castle, pre-Roman township near Dorchester, England, can see 30 male skeletons that have been unearthed at one entrance, where the Britons were buried after a brief clash of arms with Roman invaders.

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Leaders Suffer Defeats In English Soccer

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

BECAUSE he is a swinging puncher like Max Baer, some of the fight experts have an idea that Harry Thomas may stir up some trouble for Max Schmeling in what is generally expected to be nothing more than a warm-up for the former heavyweight champion at Madison Square Garden, December 13. It will be recalled that Baer with his roundhouse blows, smacked Schmeling all over the place and stopped him in 10 rounds one night in June, 1933.

Thomas is in New York for the first time, after preliminary work on his parents' farm and in a Chicago gym. He professes not to consider the distance, 15 rounds, to his disadvantage. Thomas is said to have been the first to demonstrate that champion Joe Louis cannot shake off a solid blow around the head. When Louis traveled to Los Angeles to drop Lee Ramage for the second time, Thomas was engaged as a sparring partner. "I hit Louis on top of the head in our first and only round and he went into a tailspin and stayed there," explains Thomas. "They fired me, and I've wondered ever since just what would happen if I nailed Louis on top of the head with my hand in a small glove. I wouldn't even bother to aim for the temple."

Young Jim Norris, son of the wheat operator who controls the Chicago Stadium and Detroit Olympia, brought Thomas to Chicago three years ago. The veteran Nate Lewis now represents him in the management of the 28-year-old blond heavyweight. If Thomas were as versatile inside the ropes as he has been outside, he would be a whiz. He has been in turn a minor league baseball catcher, cowboy and locomotive fireman and engineer.

A rough and ready sort, who looks the part, Thomas stands 6 feet 1 and weighs 195 pounds. He has bowled over or halted 60 of 71 opponents and lost only five decisions. He knocked out Dynamite Jackson and Pal Silvers in 1936, took 10-round nods from Art Sykes and Charley Belanger, lost to Unknown Winston in six, and was outstaggered by Jack Trammell in 10. He knocked out Billy Jones in St. Louis this year and recently whipped Max Merek in Chicago. Thomas is not another Jack Dempsey, but he is no palooka. To his credit, Schmeling has not handpicked anything of that kind. The German only wanted a warm-up. He'll likely get one.

Sport Ramblings — Manhattan merry-go-round . . . that's the six-day bike race. . . . Max Schmeling offered $25 for a sprint the other night and quite appropriately, one of the German stars went out and won it. . . . Broadway bookmakers have made the California Bears an 8 to 5 choice over Alabama in the Rose Bowl football clash. . . . Tony Canzoneri, one of the greatest little fighters in the history of the ring, is getting so fat he has started reducing in a New York gym owned by a wrestler. . . . Going home from the Southern California-Notre Dame football game, Marvin McCarthy, the sports editor of the Chicago Times, picked up a hitch-hiker. . . . Marvin started extolling Chuck Sweeney, star Notre Dame end. . . . "Ho, hum," yawned the guest rider. . . . "Wasn't I lousy today?" . . . Yes it was Sweeney. . . . They grow them young in the south. . . . Keely Grice, aged 12, scored a hole-in-one on the golf links at Charlotte, N.C., the other day.

Mrs. South Wins Uplands Tourney

Mrs. Ilma South won the December women's medal competition at the Uplands Golf Club yesterday for class A with a score of 102-18-84. In B class Miss Joan Fletcher was the victor with 99-19-80.

Next Friday a par competition will be held, following which a tea will be held and presentation of prizes for the Lansdowne and Windsor Cup competitions made. Mrs. C. W. Lovell and Mrs. A. Lindsay will play-off next week for the Windsor Cup.

Brentford Takes 3 to 0 Blanking From Stoke City

Wolverhampton Turned Back 2 to 0 By Preston; Arsenal in 2 to 1 Win

Hearts Take Lead

LONDON (CP)—Leading football teams failed to make headway in English soccer today. Brentford, the pacemaker, fell 3 to 0 at Stoke City, while Wolverhampton Wanderers were defeated 2 to 0 by Preston North End, who now are only one point behind the leader.

Chelsea moved up with Preston, taking a fine 3 to 1 decision from Huddersfield Town at Stamford Bridge, while Bolton Wanderers kept in the running by dividing two goals with Portsmouth.

Return of Teddy Drake to Arsenal's colorful eleven has resulted in its revivification. Today the Gunners won 2 to 1 at Birmingham and are now only two points behind Brentford. Derby County was the only other major league outfit to win away from home. The Midlanders defeated Liverpool, 4 to 3.

Coventry City, second division pacesetter, was leading Southampton 1 to 0 at halftime when the match was abandoned owing to the state of the ground. As a result, Sheffield United, who overcame Norwich City 4 to 1, now share the leadership with the City, each team having 24 points. Aston Villa went under 2 to 1 to Tottenham Hotspurs in London.

Cardiff City trimmed Millwall 3 to 2, and the latter is now bracketed with Notts County at the top of the southern section, third division, with 23 points each. The County drew 1 to 1 against Bristol Rovers. Gateshead failed to make headway in the northern circuit, losing 1 to 0 at Doncaster, but positions at the top of the division are unchanged, as Lincoln City was beaten 3 to 1 at York.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

GLASGOW — Heart of Midlothian went into a clear lead at the top of the Scottish Football League today, defeating Morton 2 to 1, while Motherwell, its close rival, bowed at home to Celtic 2 to 1. Rangers were held to a 1 to 1 draw at Clyde.

Only three points separate the championship contenders. The Edinburgh squad, with 29 points, is two ahead of Motherwell and Celtic, now tied for the second berth. Rangers are fourth with 26.

Wintry conditions prevailed in many parts of Scotland, two matches being postponed in the major league and one in the second division on account of snow.

Falkirk made no mistake in its home game against Third Lanark, winning 3 to 1, while Queen of South and Partick Thistle also performed creditably. The Dumfries outfit took a 3 to 1 decision from Hamilton Academicals and Partick blanked Hibernians 4 to 0 in Glasgow.

At Hampden Park, Arbroath held Queen's Park to a 1 to 1 stalemate, and Aberdeen made it 3 to 3 at Kilmarnock.

In the second division, Raith Rovers kept its five-point lead at the top by swamping Stenhousemuir 6 to 2.

Results follow:

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Birmingham 1, Arsenal 2.
Charlton Athletic 3, Everton 1.
Chelsea 3, Huddersfield Town 1.
Grimsby Town 2, Leicster City 1.
Leeds United 4, Sunderland 3.
Liverpool 3, Derby County 4.
Middlesbrough 2, Blackpool 2.
Portsmouth 1, Bolton Wanderers 1.
Preston North End 2, Wolverhampton Wanderers 0.
Stoke City 3, Brentford 0.
West Bromwich Albion-Manchester City, postponed; snow.

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley 3, Plymouth Argyle 2.

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Four Champions In Grid League

Unusual Finish in Imperial Valley Four-Team Football Circuit

LOS ANGELES — Now comes news of a football phenomenon in Imperial Valley. Down there are four prep school squads—Brawley, El Centro, Calexico and Holtville. They have a 6-game league schedule, each playing the other three twice.

They all won the title this year, finishing in a four-way tie.

Here's how it was worked.

Brawley beat El Centro twice, El Centro beat Holtville twice, Holtville beat Calexico twice and — strangely enough — Calexico beat Brawley twice.

Brawley and Holtville split even. El Centro and Calexico split even.

So — everybody won three — everybody lost three.

SWIM TRIALS ENTRY HEAVY

Forty Entered for Empire Games Tests at Vancouver Next Week

VANCOUVER—Forty of Canada's star water performers today were on the official entry list for the British Empire Games swimming trials. Entry deadline has been set for midnight tonight.

The trials will be held at Crystal Pool here December 10 and 11 to decide personnel of the Canadian team to the Empire Games in Australia in February.

Heading the list of early arrivals was the six-man Ontario squad with Quebec's contingent scheduled to arrive tomorrow.

Other entries were included from Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia.

Harold Campbell, entry clerk for the trials, said any records made would be recognized by the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association.

Bowl Teams To Share Big Gate

California and Alabama Figured to Receive $90,000 Each From Game

PASADENA, Calif.—Alabama and California will be playing for more than the football honor of the south and the west, respectively, when they clash in the New Year's game in the Rose Bowl.

The two universities figure to receive about $90,000 each after all the change is counted. The stadium will be filled to its capacity of 89,000. Ticket prices range fromb $3.30 to $5.50, and the average will be about $3.50, bringing the receipts to $311,000.

The Rose Bowl Association gets one-third, up to a certain amount, but usually in the end, the competing schools come out with more than two-thirds of the "gate." The schools pay the traveling and maintenance expenses of their teams, so in that respect Alabama will not make as much as California.

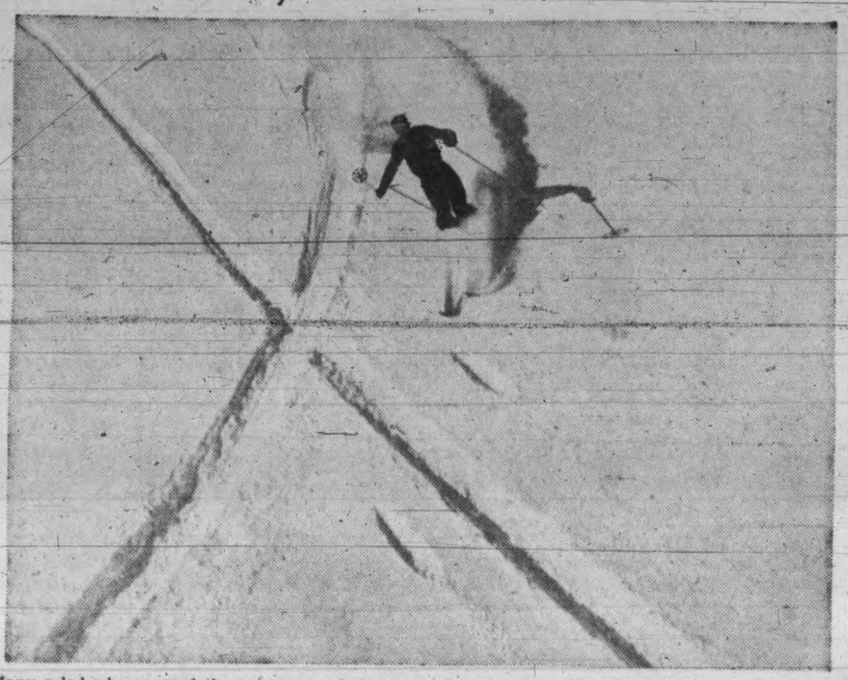
But Alabama should net somewhere around $70,000 from the Rose Bowl party, estimating its expenses at $20,000. This will be the Crimson Tide's fifth trip out to Pasadena.

California was installed as 2 to 1 favorite locally to beat Alabama in the Rose Bowl game.

CROCKER TO AUSTRALIA

LONDON, Ont.—J. Howard Crocker, director of the physical education department of the University of Western Ontario will leave here Monday for Sydney, Australia, as Canadian representative to the British Empire Games.

Geometry In Snow of the Rockies



Many a lad who scorned the compass and the set-square in school days turns gladly at this season to a more exhilirating kind of geometry, carving elliptical spheroids and dashing angles in the snow with a pair of skis. It's quite the sport up in the Sunshine Valley, near Banff, where an alert photographer caught this bit of action. Mount Norquay, Sunshine and Skoki camps in the Banff country are preparing for a record season. Sunshine, perhaps most popular of all the Canadian Rockies' ski spots, has a newly-enlarged lodge accommodating 50, and there Rupe Edwards and Norman Knight, two of Banff's most noted skimen, have opened a ski school. Pacific Coast skiers will have a chance to sample the powder snow of the Banff region during the Christmas and New Year holidays, when large numbers from the coast are expected.

Dog Show on This Evening

A big entry of canines is expected to be benched at the Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers' Association's show to be held this evening at the Crystal Garden.

Entries have been received from the mainland and other Island points. A large number of toys, Pekingese and terriers will be entered which should provide keen competition in that class. The show will open at 7.30.

SUGGESTS TEAM GO TO ENGLAND

Tour By Canadian Cricket Team Proposed By British Columbia Leaders

VANCOUVER — Suggestion that an official Canadian cricket team be sent to England will be sent to the Eastern Canada Cricket Association by the British Columbia Cricket Association, it was announced Wednesday.

"At present Canada is the only Dominion whose contacts with other parts of the Empire are limited to politics and commerce, and this handicap cricket could help to overcome," R. V. L. Johnston, secretary of the B.C. Mainland League, said in presenting the proposal.

"There must be periodical interchange of visits between Canadian cricket teams and the rest of the Empire."

The association also hopes to send a British Columbia junior team to Alberta next summer in return matches against an Alberta team which visited here last summer.

J. Fyfe Smith was re-elected president of the provincial body at the meeting during which the proposal was discussed.

Trade Rumors Fly In Major Baseball

National Leaguers Expected to Get Busy After Van Mungo Deal Made

CHICAGO—There was plenty of smoke and a lot of fire in the baseball trading business today as the shopping centre shifted from the minor league meeting in Milwaukee to the major league arena in Chicago.

Though the American League turned all the deals at Milwaukee, indications today were that the long-awaited swap of Brooklyn's Van Mungo was all but ready for official announcement. And when the eccentric Brooklyn fire baller is traded—to any one of four clubs in the market—the National League is expected to do land office business.

The best guess today was that the New York Giants or Chicago Cubs would get Mungo. The Giants opened up a bit last night by selling southpaw pitcher Al Smith to the St. Louis Cardinals and getting catcher Tom Padden, ex-Pittsburgh Pirate, from the St. Louis Cards. Padden will go to the Jersey City farm.

WATCH PITTSBURGH

Dark horse of the player mart was Pittsburgh. When the disappointing 1937 season closed, Manager Pie Traynor said his club was ready to shoot the works with almost every player on the club. So far, no one has had a peep out of Pie, but he may swing a big deal around Paul Waner and Arky Vaughan any day now. The Boston Bees also were doing a bit of fine gum shoeing and an important deal may be pulled by shrewd Bob Quinn.

The American League, apparently, was just beginning to trade. Manager Jimmy Dykes of the Chicago White Sox certainly must do some more shopping now because he has wound up with almost an entire lineup of right-handed hitters, one of the surest routes to second division in baseball.

Actually, the major league meetings open Monday. Both leagues will hold separate sessions on Monday and Tuesday, and joint meetings on Wednesday. Proposals to increase the player limit from 23 to 25, to make the ball less lively, and discussions of night baseball compose the principal business on the agenda.

HUSKIES GET TWO BERTHS

Markov and Slivinski Placed On Pacific Coast All-star Grid Squad

SAN FRANCISCO—The Associated Press 1937 all-Pacific Coast football team, a mythical eleven chosen in a consensus vote of western coaches, sports writers and officials, includes five University of California players, Pacific Coast champions and western representatives in the Rose Bowl.

Two positions on the 13th annual team, released today, went to University of Washington, which held the Golden Bears to a scoreless tie. Stanford, Santa Clara, Gonzaga and Oregon State each placed one player.

The team follows: Ends, Perry Schwartz, California, and Grant Stone, Stanford; tackles, Vic Markov, Washington, and Al Wolff, Santa Clara; guards, Steve Slivinski, Washington, and Vard Stockton, California; centre, Bob Herwig, California; quarterback, John Meek, California; halfbacks, Sam Chapman, California, and Joe Gray, Oregon State, and fullback, George Karamatic, Gonzaga.

Dominoes Tackle Tacomans Tonight

Local Cagers Will Be After Eighth Straight Win at High School

At the High School gym this evening the Victoria Dominoes will seek their eighth successive win in as many starts when they take on the Wheeler-Osgood cagers from Tacoma in the headline attraction. Fans will no doubt remember the hot engagement between these two clubs here last year which resulted in a victory for the local side through the basket secured by Carl Coates, since departed from the line-up, in the dying seconds.

Indications are that the visiting forces will be composed of good basketball material that should be able to provide keen competition for the locals. The Wheeler-Osgood line-up will include such players as Hal "Stork" McClary, Hal Lee, Eddie Grant, Bruce Hetrick, Otto Smith, Al Rooney and Sam Qualheim.

The opening game of the evening will bring together Chinese Students and Canadian Scottish, starting at 8.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

N.H.L.

Canadian Division

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Toronto	5	2	3	30	23	13
Americans	4	3	1	19	13	9
Maroons	4	5	1	14	19	9
Canadiens	3	2	3	19	17	9

American Division

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Boston	6	1	2	19	14	14
Chicago	3	6	2	18	29	8
Rangers	3	5	1	16	16	7
Detroit	2	6	1	13	26	5

COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Seattle	4	2	3	19	14	11
Vancouver	4	2	1	14	12	9
Portland	2	5	3	17	22	7
Spokane	3	3	1	8	9	7

Detroit Collapse Features Hockey

Highlight of First Month of Campaigning in National League

It's a month today since the new National Hockey League season started, and, in review, the collapse of the world champion Detroit Red Wings and the great play of Boston Bruins were the things that impressed fans most around the cricuit.

After Wings have won only two games in nine starts there are a few new faces in their line-up, and other changes have been made. Probably the most important of these was the breaking up of the ace Detroit line of Marty Barry; Larry Aurie and Herb Lewis—a combine that led the league in scoring last year as a unit.

In contrast to the unhappy plight of the Wings, Manager Art Ross' Bruins showed the rest of the league how to start off on the right foot by remaining unbeaten in their first eight games. They won six and tied two, finally losing their ninth game to Montreal Canadiens at Montreal.

LEAFS STAND OUT

Prominent, too, in the month's review were Connie Smythe's Toronto Maple Leafs, who have shown a goal-getting appetite equalled by no other team. Leafs, led by their starry line of Gord Drillon, Harvey Jackson and Syl Apps, have scored 39 goals or more than any other two teams in the league.

Probably the greatest single achievement was that of Red Horner—the reformed bad man of Leafs. Always known as a prolific penalty-getter, Red has attended strictly to business so far this year with the result he is leading the league in assists with 10, and is near the top of the scoring list with 12 points.

Horner and his mates will come to grips tonight with Canadiens in what probably will be the highlight contest of the week-end. The only other game tonight finds Montreal Maroons playing host to New York Americans.

Hoppe Clicks Another Mark

Famous Billiard Player Shatters World Record For 71.2 Line Play

NEW YORK—Willie Hoppe, the former "boy wonder" of billiards, who at one time or another has held every major championship, last night claimed a world record high run in a form of billiards in which he has had very little experience.

Hoppe stroked out an unfinished string of 248 in the 10th block of his 12-block exhibition match at 71.2 balkline billiards against Jake Schaefer of Chicago.

The world mark for a high run at this form of billiards, popular in France but never before played here, is 213, credited to Roger Conti, the French champion.

PRICE GIVES FUELMEN WIN

Scores Point in Kingham-Gillespies Overtime Cage Victory

With the score knotted 26 to 26 at the end of regulation playing time, Byron Price, shifty forward, sank a free throw from the strip in the overtime to give Kingham-Gillespie basketballers a 27 to 26 victory over St. Louis College Alumni last night at the High School gym.

It was one of the fastest and closest intermediate A battles of the season, with both teams traveling at top speed all night. There was not much to choose between the two squads in the opening half, with the Alumni hold to the lead, 11 to 9, at half time.

For 14 minutes of the final session the teams matched basket for basket. Two minutes later the eventual winners were in front, 22 to 21, but Sarsfield Martin sank two free throws to put the Collegians ahead. The lead change again when Perry added a two-pointer to the fuelmen's score, but this was followed by three successive points by the opposing side. With one minute left the score stood 26 to 24 in Alumni's favor. Before the gong sounded, however, Frank Smart looped in a one-hander to tie the score. Price's line throw in the overtime cinched the match for Kingham-Gillespie.

The final game of the evening resulted in Hoyle-Brown handing the Navy quintette a 46 to 22 defeat. It was a senior B men's match and the eventual winners were never in danger throughout.

Bob Macmurchie refereed.

The teams and scores follow:

Kingham-Gillespie—B. Price 7, McKeachie, Smart 2, Walker 10, Naysmith, Berry 4, Miller 2, Whitfield 2 and Gent.

St. Louis College Alumni—B. Martin 6, Brodigan 2, Kelly 8, S. Martin 3, Hughes, Gillis and Perry 7.

Hoyle-Brown — Goldsmith 10, McKeachie 6, Caddell 6, Coller 2, McLean 2, Campbell 8, Preston 2 and Levy 10.

Navy—Geddes 11, DeCosta 3, Cosier 4, Dovey 4 and Day.

Second Soccer Trial Tomorrow

The second of a series of trial matches being staged by the Wednesday Football League will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 at Admirals Road. The trials are being held with the purpose of selecting the league's all-star team to play the week-end circuit's representative eleven in the second game of the Anscomb Cup series.

President Charlie Lewis released the teams for tomorrow's match as follows:

Stewardson, Robinson, Cann, L. Bradley, Fieldhouse, Rayside, Geddes, Bell, Ross, Collins, Speller and D. White.

L. DeCosta, Wyatt, Cockrill, Bissell, Kennedy, Gent, Brown, Carr, E. DeCosta, Barnswell, Oakman, Gent and McBride.

KEEN MATCHES FEATURE MEET

Garrison Badminton Club Tournament on Home Stretch; Finals Today

Extra-set matches in the men's doubles featured play in the semi-finals as the Garrison badminton club tournament reached the home stretch last night.

Green and Hope defeated Dunbar and Flett, 15-10, 12-15, 15-10, in one semi-final, while Edwards and Wilkins scored a 11-15, 15-8, 15-12 win over Gordon and McCallum in the other.

All doubles finals were scheduled to be played today.

Results follow:

Men's Doubles

Green and Hope defeated Dunbar and Flett 15-10, 12-15, 15-10.

Edwards and Wilkins defeated Gordon and McCallum, 11-15, 15-8, 15-12.

Women's Doubles

Misses Nelson and Nicholson defeated Mrs. Green and Miss E. Swayne, 15-6, 15-6.

Misses D. Swayne and Fitzpatrick defeated Mrs. Bayers and Miss Greenhill, 15-4, 15-4.

Mixed Doubles

Mr. and Mrs. Green defeated Dunbar and Miss Fitzpatrick, 15-10, 15-12.

Edwards and Miss D. Swayne defeated Flett and Miss Warnock, 15-10, 15-8.

Handicap Men's Doubles

Dunbar and Osburne defeated Ham and Rayment, 11-15, 15-3, 15-4.

Handicap Women's Doubles

Mrs. Gordon and Miss D. Swayne defeated Mrs. Wollison and Miss Greenhill, 15-14, 15-2.

Misses Warnock and Fitzpatrick defeated Mrs. Birley and Miss Nelson, 15-11, 15-6

Handicap Mixed Doubles

Hocking and Miss Hembroff defeated McCallum and Mrs. Bayers, 15-10, 15-8.

Edwards and Miss Parkes defeated D. C. Gordon and Miss D. Swayne, 15-2, 14-15, 15-4.

Canadian Stars Must Stay Home

TORONTO—Gen Dopp, secretary of the Ontario Lacrosse Association, said last night any Canadian lacrosse player who left Canada to play in the United States this winter would be liable to two years' automatic suspension from lacrosse here.

Dopp said promoters had invaded Canada, seeking to induce players to go to California.

Dominoes Accepted By Island Cage Body

Affiliation Will Permit Squad To Seek B.C. Honors

G. E. Bonner Announces Acceptance of Local Team's Entry

Meeting Tomorrow

Return of the Victoria Dominoes to organized basketball was announced today in the receipt of a telegram from G. E. Bonner, Cobble Hill, president of the Vancouver Island Basketball Association, to the sports editor of The Times, to the effect that the island body had accepted the affiliation of the Dominoes.

The wire read as follows: "Accepted Dominoes affiliation island association today." Signed "Bonner."

Although the island body has announced its acceptance of the Dominoes entry there is certain to be plenty of fireworks at the association's meeting to be held at Nanaimo tomorrow. Representatives from the Dominoes and the Victoria and District Basketball League will attend along with delegates from other parts of the island.

In former seasons the Dominoes have affiliated through the Victoria and District League. This year the club remained out of the league and up to the present has been operating as an independent team, engaging in games with Seattle squads.

Affiliation through the island association will give the Dominoes the right to compete for the British Columbia championship and a possible crack at the Canadian title.

HARDWICK SPEAKS

Walter Hardwick, president of the Canadian Amateur Basketball Association, in a statement over the long distance telephone today said: "The matter is one for the Victoria and District League and the Island Association to settle. It is their business and they must handle it. That is my opinion without having given the question serious consideration."

"Any move on the part of the Victoria Dominoes basketball team or any other team in this district to affiliate through any association other than the Victoria and District Basketball League, is entirely unconstitutional," was the statement made by Walter Yeamans, secretary of the Victoria League.

"Personally, I am surprised at the Dominoes making this move. Since there has been only the friendliest feeling between the league and the Dominoes, I fail to understand why they have not applied to the league for affiliation," he said.

Work Point in Shuttle Triumph

Work Point shuttlers defeated North Saanich 11 to 5 in a friendly match played at Stacey's Hall, Sidney, on Thursday evening.

Toronto Boxers Head for Coast

TORONTO — Two Toronto amateur boxers leave tonight for Vancouver to compete in trials for the team that will represent Canada in the British Empire Games at Sydney, Australia, this winter.

They are George Pignoli, Ontario amateur middleweight champion, and Jim Burley, provincial featherweight champion. They will represent the central Ontario branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada at the trials.

RUGBY MEETING

All team delegates to the Victoria Rugby Union are asked to be present at the meeting to be held Monday at 5 in the Colonist board room, when important matters will be discussed.

Men's Shoes
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Montague Not Being Invited

SAN FRANCISCO — John Montague, whose golfing reputation was deflated recently by Babe Ruth, won't be invited to the United States match play open championship here February 9.

But the Babe, who conquered Monty in informal matches, will get a bid, along with 35 top-notch players.

Montague, however, may enter if he chooses.

"Montague might be a great gallery attraction, but certain parties are not enthusiastic over him being issued a special bid," said Frank Nibley of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

FRENCH HORSE WILL NOT RUN

Technicality Bars Soleil Du Midi From Field for Santa Anita Handicap

SAN FRANCISCO — A technicality in the racing rules will prevent the nomination of Soleil Du Midi, French-bred five-year-old star, for the 1938 $100,000 added Santa Anita handicap, it was announced here yesterday. The horse, stakes winner in Europe, is being imported by J. W. Marchbank, owner of Tanforan track. He had planned to enter him in the rich southern California classic.

Jockey club rules require that markings of an imported horse must be taken on arrival before registration papers are issued. Nominations for the Santa Anita handicap closed December 1, while Soleil Du Midi will not arrive here for registration until two weeks later.

Recreation Work

Attractive programmes are being put over in all the centres, and minor contests are being held as an added interest to the work of the period. Winners in the prone push-up contests held this week are as follows: Lake Hill, Dick Watson 50; Marigold, Bert Politano 41; Crystal Garden, H. Brown 32; North Saanich, Ben Wells 30; Esquimalt, Leslie Bennetts 25. Other contests will be held in the coming weeks, including curling and pressing with the weights, skipping, high jump and other indoor field events. Minor gym competitions are designed so that all members will wish to take part.

The women's class at the High School on December 16 is canceled owing to a dance being held in the gym on that night. So that the women will not miss their class for the week, they will attend the men's class at the High School on December 12, and join in with the exercises, games and apparatus work with the men members. The men will give a vaulting demonstration while the women will reply with a group dance. This will be the closing of the centre until January 3.

Men members will give a tumbling routine on December 16 at the High School dance during the intermission. Lake Hill will hold a dance December 10.

Eastern Aquatic Stars Head West

MONTREAL—Six swimmers, Florence Humble, Marjorie Bradshaw, Aileen Fitzpatrick, Jean Marc Demers, Aurel Thomas of Montreal and Ruth Monk of Ottawa, left Wednesday for Vancouver to represent Montreal-Ottawa district at the Canadian championship meet and final British Empire Games' trials December 10 to 11.

Irish Soccer

BELFAST — Irish Football League games played today resulted as follows:

Coleraine 0, Portadown 2.
Linfield 1, Cliftonville 1.
Distillery 5, Larne 2.
Glenavon 3, Bangor 2.
Ards 3, Glentoran 4.
Belfast Celtic 6, Derry City 2.
Newry Town 5, Ballymena 2.

Goes to Kimberley

MANCHESTER, Eng. — J. L. Hopwood, Lancashire cricketer, will coach in Kimberley, South Africa, during the winter. He has been [illegible] a benefit here next season.

Guards Nets For Rangers

DAVE KERR

alert goalie for Lester Patrick's New York Rangers in the National Hockey League. Kerr is having a good season and is one of the leaders in the loop for shutouts.

LEADERS SUFFER DEFEATS IN ENGLISH SOCCER

(Continued from Page 11)

Burnley 1, Bradford 1.
Bury 4, West Ham United 3.
Coventry City 1, Southampton 0 (Abandonded at half-time).
Luton Town 4, Fulham 0.
Manchester United 5, Swansea Town 1.
Newcastle United 1, Sheffield Wednesday 0.
Nottingham Forest 3, Blackburn Rovers 1.
Sheffield United 4, Norwich City 1.
Stockport County 1, Chesterfield 1.
Tottenham Hotspurs 2, Aston Villa 1.

THIRD DIVISION
Southern Section

Bournemouth 3, Aldershot 0.
Brighton 3, Swindon Town 1.
Bristol Rovers 1, Notts County 1.
Cardiff City 3, Millwall 2.
Clapton Orient 1, Watford 1.
Mansfield Town 1, Newport County 1.
Northampton Town 1, Crystal Palace 1 (Abandoned after 55 minutes).
Queen's Park Rangers 4, Exeter City 0.
Southend United 2, Gillingham 0.
Torquay United 1, Bristal City 3.
Walsall 2, Reading 5.

Northern Section

Accrington Stanley 3, Crewe Alexandra 2.
Bradford City 1, Hull City 2.
Carlisle United 2, Barrow 2.
Chester 7, Port Vale 2.
Doncaster Rovers 1, Gateshead 0.
Halifax Town 0, Wrexham 0.
Rochdale 1, Oldham Athletic 1.
Rotherham United 4, Darlington 2.
Southport 0, New Brighton 0.
Tranmere Rovers 4, Hartlepools United 0
York City 3, Lincoln City 1.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Clyde 1, Rangers 1.
Dundee-St. Mirren (postponed, snow).
Falkirk 3, Third Lanark 1.
Hearts 2, Morton 1.
Kilmarnock 3, Aberdeen 3.
Motherwell 1, Celtic 2.
Partick Thistle 4, Hibernians 0.
Queen of South 3, Hamilton Academicals 1.
Queen's Park 1, Arbroath 1.
St. Johnstone-Ayr United (postponed, snow).

SECOND DIVISION

Albion Rovers 7, Alloa 1.
Cowdenbeath 2, East Fife 3.
Dumbarton 7, Brechin City 0.
Edinburgh City 0, St. Bernards 4.
Forfar Athletic-Airdrieonians (postponed, snow).
King's Park 1, Dunfermline 3.
Leith Athletic 3, East Stirling 1.
Montrose 1, Dundee United 3.
Raith Rovers 6, Stenhousemuir 2.

ANGELS GET MOORE

LOS ANGELES—Purchase of John T. Moore, outfielder of the Philadelphia National League baseball club, was announced by the Los Angeles club yesterday. Moore, a left-hand hitter, hit .326 for the Phillies in 1936 and .322 last year.

Rugby Union

LONDON — English Rugby Union games today resulted as follows:

Bath 0, London Scottish 14.
Bedford 16, St. Bart's Hospital 0.
Birkenhead Park 24, Halifax 3.
Blackheath 11, Gloucester 13.
Bristol 5, Newport 3.
Coventry 0, Weston-super-Mare 0.
Harlequins 8, Leicester 11.
Richmond 6, Guys Hospital 0.
Rosslyn Park 38, Old Leysians 3.
United Services 6, London Welsh 6.
Old Cranleighans 6, Old Merchant Taylors 4.
Cardiff 15, Llanelly 8.
Cross Keys 0, Bridgend 0.
Devonport Services 1, Aldershot Services 9.
Newton Abbot 6, Plymouth Albion 6.
Penarth 5, Neath 17.
Swansea 0, Aberavon 14.
Edinburgh Academicals 8, Royal High School 17.
Glasgow 29, Edinburgh 6.
Leinster 12, Munster 3 (at Dublin).

ENGLISH INTERNATIONAL TRIAL

England 18, Possibles 11 (at Newcastle-on-Tyne).

WELSH INTERNATIONAL TRIAL

Probables 12, Possibles 10 (at Newport).

Rugby League

LONDON—Results of English Rugby League games today follow:

Broughton Rangers 0, Widnes 9.
Dewsbury 23, Bramley 6.
Castleford 7, Featherstone 2.
Huddersfield 13, York 20.
Hull-Kingston 0, Bradford Northern 6.
Keighley 12, Wakefield Trinity 0.
Leeds 14, Batley 8.
Leigh 0, Newcastle 0.
Liverpool Stanley 5, Halifax 0.
Oldham 18, St. Helen's 5.
Salford 20, Hull 6.
St. Helen's Recs. 0, Hunslet 15.
Warrington 25, Rochdale Hornets 9.
Wigan 2, Swinton 4.
Barrow 12, Australians (exhibition) 8.

STIRLING IS NUMBER ONE

Sarnia Star Ranked Leading Grid Player in East; All-east Team Named

TORONTO—The best football player in the east this season, on the word of coaches and sports writers participating in the annual press-box sweepstakes, is 30-year-old Hugh (Bummer) Stirling of Sarnia Imperials. The nod for the Bummer developed into a general bow.

Head-man on the sixth annual Canadian Press all-eastern team, driving force of Sarnia's O.R.F.U. champions, Stirling won almost unanimous approval as being the best player in his position. Only one of a jury of 23 failed to give him a first-team ballot.

The all-eastern honor roll, listing first and second teams, was announced Wednesday with three Sarnia players on the first line-up and all other places taken by Big Four stars. On the second team were five Interprovincial Union players, four from the O.R.F.U. and three from the Intercollegiate.

The teams follow:

First team — Ormond Beach, Sarnia, flying wing; Stan O'Neil, Ottawa, half; Hugh Stirling, Sarnia, half; John Ferraro, Montreal, half; Arnie Morrison, Montreal, quarter; Dave Ryan, Montreal, snap; Tiny Herman, Ottawa, inside; Tim Palmer, Argos, inside; Dave Sprague, Ottawa, middle; Mike Clawson, Sarnia, middle; West Cutler, Argos, outside; Jimmy Simpson, Hamilton, outside.

Second team — Ted Morris, Argos, flying wing; Ace Eliowitze, Montreal, half; Bob Isbister, Argos, half; Alex Hayes, Sarnia, quarter; Jack Taylor, Balmy Beach, snap; George Hornig, McGill, inside; Bill Irwin, Balmy Beach, inside; Tommy Burns, Montreal, middle; Andy Anton, McGill, middle; Bernie Thornton, Queen's, outside; Sy Reynolds, Balmy Beach, outside.

Brentwood Wins Friendly Match

In a friendly badminton match played at Brentwood the home players defeated Saanichton 10 to 6. Brentwood won three of the four women's doubles, all four men's doubles, and three of the mixed.

BOXING

Dayton, Ohio — Buddy Knox, 192, Dayton, knocked out Elmer Aipleton, 200, Louisville, Ky. (2).

Philadelphia — Jimmy Jones, 157, Baltimore, and Tony Ciaccio, 158, Norristown, Pa., drew (10).

San Francisco — John Fasano, 145, San Francisco, stopped Nord Gerrard, 148, Chicago 3).

Hollywood, Calif. — Nick Peters, 134½, San Antonio, outpointed Wally Hally, 134½, Los Angeles (10).

WRESTLING

North Bergen, N.J. — George Koverly, 220, California, tossed Jack Kennedy, 220, Iowa, 27.45.

Philadelphia — Jim Londos, 199, St. Louis, pinned Chief Thunderbird, 214, Victoria, B.C., 44.51.

Buffalo, N.Y.—Ed Don George, 225, North Java, defeated Ali Baba, 205, Detroit, two of three falls.

San Diego—Sammy Stein, 210, New York, threew Chief Little Wolf, 210, New York, 15 minutes.

Salt Lake City—Gus Sonnenberg, Chicago, defeated Sherman Christensen, Salt Lake City, two of three falls.

Captains Oxford

OXFORD, Eng. — J. A. Brett, Durham, is captaining Oxford University rugby team this season. H. D. Freakes, clever South African fullback, is vice-captain.

Wrestles Here

ABE YOURIST

who will tackle Dave Johnston in the semi-main event of tonight's mat card at the Tillicum gym. In the feature bout La Verne Baxter will oppose Hal Rumberg, while the special event will see Jack Dupre grapple Larry Beddington. The show will start at 8.45.

Racing Results

TANFORAN—Results of horse racing here yesterday follow:

First race—Six furlongs:
Sky Lady (Turk) $6.80 $3.60 $4.00
Bon Fly (Brammer) 5.00 4.00
Gold Lace (Adams) 6.80
Time, 1.12 3-5. Also ran: Crystal Chief, Penates, Havanas, Sharp Miss, Donn Lue, El Grandee, Skegness, Aytee, Armingel.

Second race—Six furlongs:
Parmenarch (Adams) $4.60 $3.60 $3.20
Stoney Brook (Burns) 8.20 5.20
Sorrel Top (Robertson) 5.40
Time, 1.13. Also ran: Royalty Check, Jimmie Sweet, Fair Polly, Kai Shen, Peachwood, Baladine, Rolodo, Beeches.

Third race—Six furlongs:
Chief Pilot (McClintock) $18.60 $10.60 $5.40
Define Bank (Rosengarten) 8.40 4.20
Rickey Roo (Jones) 3.40
Time, 1.12 1-5. Also ran: Cuyamaca, Emigrante, Emir, Double Four, Bonynge, Mister Gander, Saint Pierre.

Fourth race—Mile and 70 yards:
Deer Fly (Sens) $5.80 $3.80 $3.20
Farquhar (Adams) 8.00 5.40
El Portal (Jones) 25.60
Time, 1.43 1-5. Also ran: Speedy Return, Red Powder, Valina, Tonta, Donna Bonita, Lapland, Howden, Sky Glare.

Fifth race—Six furlongs:
Ward Boss (Sawyer) $74.20 $24.80 $9.60
Clarcarolle (Howell) 5.20 3.20
Mam Lindy (Burns) 2.60
Time, 1.12 1-5. Also ran: Muse, Purse Strings, Gamelon, Floragina, Midwick, Jean Cloud.

Sixth race—One mile:
Lame Duck (Adams) $4.00 $2.60 $2.20
Stepahead (Hightshoe) 4.40 3.00
Green Flame (Stallings) 2.80
Time, 1.38. Also ran: Make and Break, Mickey's Man, Wegoway.

Seventh race—Mile and one-eighth:
Adirondack (Smith) $17.40 $7.40 $4.80
Blue Hour (Brammer) 7.00 4.60
Auman (Rosengarten) 6.20
Time, 1.53 3-5. Also ran: Akahiloa, Omar, Ambercrombie, Battling Knight, Melody Lane, Mt. Glen, Bebeel.

Eighth race—Mile and one-eighth:
Sir Maxim (Adams) $5.80 $3.80 $3.20
Royal Rover (Pierce) 4.40 3.60
Scatoo (Sena) 4.20
Time, 1.52 2-5. Also ran: Vale of Tears, Liquidation, Tall Oak, Prince Ballot, Texas Moon, Misinformation, Ozana, Sporting Green.

VICTORIA HIGH WINS

In a hard-fought fixture of the interhigh school rugby league yesterday the Victoria High School Greens came through with a 10 to 8 triumph over the Oak Bay High School Bays.

Pacesetters In Major Hockey

CANADIAN DIVISION

Standing—Toronto won 5, lost 2, tied 3, Points 13.
Points—Drillon, Toronto, 8 goals, 7 assists, 15 points.
Goals—Drillon, Toronto, 8.
Assists — Horner, Toronto, 10.
Penalties — Northcott, Maroons, 37 minutes.
Shutouts—Robertson, Americans, 3.

AMERICAN DIVISION

Standing — Boston won 6, tied 2, lost 1, points 14.
Points—Thompson, Chicago, 2 goals, 7 assists, 9 points.
Goals — Barry, Detroit, and Dillon, Rangers, 5.
Assists—Thompson, Chicago, 7.
Penalties—Cooper, Rangers, 20 minutes.
Shutouts—Kerr, Rangers, 3.

Schmeling Rough On Spar Partners

German Heavyweight Will Take no Chances in Bout With Harry Thomas

SUMMIT, N.J.—Things have come to a pretty pass in the matter of sparring partners at Madame Bey's training farm here, where Max Schmeling is doing his conditioning, for his December 13 mix-up with Harry Thomas.

Many regard the bout merely as a tune-up for Schmeling's projected second bout with Joe Louis but Max appears to be taking it as seriously as a title fight. The result is nothing short of sparmate destruction.

Max's attitude probably is the right one, ringmen agree, for Thomas, the glassy-eyed Minnesota brakeman, is reported to have sleep-producing power in his hands.

While the German devastates his sparmates, Thomas has been impressing the ring critics at his Pompton Lakes training camp and the word has gone around that Schmeling may find the Minnesota mittman anything but a "guinea pig" on which to test his strength.

Bowling Scores

OLYMPIC ALLEYS
NEW METHOD LAUNDRIES FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Sanitoners—W. F. Pinfold 423, A. F. Pinfold 493, J. Imrie 576, P. A. Gibbs 485. Total 1,977.
Curtaineers—F. Young 402, W. Jones 606, A. Dunderdale 657, low score 389 Total 2,054.
Curtaineers won two.
Blanketeers—J. Smith 427, R. Krueger 445, D. Danes 499, R. Lamb 591. Total 1,962.
Carpeteers—W. Waters 616, F. Settenington 402, J. Hartley 566, N. McKinnon 674 Total 2,258.
Carpeteers won two.

ARCADE ALLEYS
SENIOR FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Five Roses—I. Malcolm 547, B. Peden 573, R. Semple 483, J. Leetham 533, A. Benn 531. Total 2,667.
Victoria Shoe Repairs—C. Kerr 469, R. Elwood 488, B. Fuggle 456, J. Freer 543, A. Falk 484. Total 2,440.
Five Roses won three.
Poodle Dog Cafe—A. Porter 519, J. Ferrie 510, J. Howell 538, J. Ferguson 592, R. Wilson 632. Total 2,791.
The Daily Colonist—W. Templeton 517, H. Hazzard 450, H. Pickup 559, A. Hawkins 543, C. Chislett 557. Total 2,626.
Poodle Dog Cafe won two.

WEDNESDAY'S SCORES

OLYMPIC ALLEYS
COMMERCIAL B TENPIN LEAGUE

Times—R. Knott 556, J. Caddell 401, J. Bacon 441, A. Cliff 597, M. Lawson 513, handicap 54. Total 2,454.
Coast Hardware—G. Thackray 460, G. Morley 516, F. Goodman 468, A. Swaluk 448, W. Fulton 513, handicap 90. Total 2,315.
Times won three.
Macdonald's Consolidated Ltd.—F. Ray 511, J. Collins 405, T. Lamble 576, F. Young 581, low score 437, handicap 3. Total 2,515.
Scott & Peden A—W. Peden 504, C. Bruce 440, E. Jones 565, F. Hughes 453, L. McClellan 494, handicap 24. Total 2,480.
Macdonald's Consolidated Ltd. won two.
Northwestern Creamery—G. Ozard 503, T. Cole 527, N. Grant 252, R. Crawford 499, F. Dillabough 587, low score 129, handicap 9. Total 2,506.
Scott & Peden B—J. Newton 480, J. Peden 598, G. Todd 419, H. McNeil 394, S. Mackey 491, handicap 144. Total 2,426.
Northwestern Creamery won two.
Gascos—E. Beanny 447, R. Ludbrook 567, W. H. Dreaper 496, H. Cluff 515, W. Mowat 509, handicap 39. Total 2,573.
Slade's—F. Martin 322, H. Deane 551, D. Hunter 332, R. Lipsey 534, H. Woolston 516, L. Gould 300, handicap 53. Total 2,608.
Gascos won two.

AUTOMOTIVE FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Imperial Oil Ltd.—E. Minaker 471, G. Hopkins 516, J. Struthers 483, F. Fitzsimmons 512, low score 153, T. Woods 270, handicap 387. Total 2,672.
Ford V-8—E. Bayliss 463, R. Rogers 410, J. Todd 460, E. Beveridge 401, H. Hill 523, handicap 420. Total 2,677.
Imperial Oil Ltd. won two.
Revercomb Motors—W. B. Revercomb 346, L. Graham 490, C. Ivings 406, N. Graham 393, A. Borthwick 527, handicap 588. Total 2,142.
Berg Motor Co.—Robillard 441, McDonald 312, Bent 417, Lumsden 445, McKibben 491, handicap 426. Total 2,532.
Revercomb Motors won three

COMMERCIAL A FIVEPIN LEAGUE

New Method Laundries—W. Waters 640, N. McKinnon 553, S. Swetnam 495, W. Jones 535, A. Dunderdale 573, handicap 207. Total 3,003.
W. & J. Wilson—R. Wood 571, K. Munn 579, F. Acres 414, P. Scott 523, B. Acres 642, handicap 132. Total 2,961.
New Method Laundries won two.
Northwestern Creamery—Cliff Steele 634, W. Chisholm 581, W. Sadler 495, S. Toland 547, J. Moir 312, handicap 300. Total 2,894.
K. of P. Lodge 61—J. Trenchard Clarke 430, Peter Brown 213, J. Newnham 508, H. R. Brown 278, J. Imrie 616, H. Maddaford 198, handicap 300. Total 2,543.
Northwestern Creamery won three.
Ideal Barber Shop—O'Neill 683, Porteous 609, Green 595, McConnan 621, handicap 135. Total 3,045.
Electrons—G. Butler 604, A. McKenzie 224, H. A. White 477, G. Bridges 468, Barbour 480, E. J. Cox 346, handicap 300. Total 2,829.
Ideal Barber Shop won three.
Belmonts—N. McCaig 561, Don McCaig 596, H. Anderson 578, Dunc McCaig 640, H. Gent 658, handicap 105. Total 3,132.
Horsehoe News—F. Moulton 548, G. Hopkins 419, R. Abercrombie 502, J. Struthers 547, T. Abercrombie 508, handicap 300. Total 2,844.
Belmonts won two.
K.P.A.—J. Waters 538, M. H. Barry 471, G. Allison 356, B. Proctor 675, A. Haines 271, W. Marshall 668, handicap 266. Total 3,245.
B.O.K.K.—H. Short 609, A. Manson 387, S. Moorhead 352, H. Johnston 146, N. Stewardson 641, R. Jones 548, A. Hockley 112, handicap 300. Total 2,995.
K.P.A. won two.

COMMERCIAL B FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Colonist Nonpareils—E. Borde 773, W. Poole 411, R. Turner 680, R. Begg 590, W. Dunn 621, handicap 180. Total 3,255.
Morris Kersey Coffee Shop—Bill Kersey 489, George Johnston 489, Johnny Norrington 520, Morris Kersey 531, J. Galloway 502, handicap 540. Total 2,861.
Colonist Nonpareils won three.
Cameron Lumber Co.—Barnes 649, Porter 567, Sayer 577, Mooney 570, Viggers 482, handicap 300. Total 3,165.
Victoria Brass and Ironworks No. 1—T. Sturrock 409, L. Clough 390, S. Smith 531, C. Smith 443, T. Grey 478, handicap 300. Total 2,551.
Cameron Lumber Co. won three.
Victoria Brass and Ironworks No. 2—H. Brayshaw 524, G. Guest 502, A. March 514, A. McKay 497, low score 480, handicap 300. Total 2,823.
Fernwood Bakery—F. Welsh 631, Cy Waters 417, Fred Waters 607, Frank Waters 390, A. McBride 545, handicap 300. Total 2,890.
Victoria Brass and Ironworks No. 2 won two.

RAY'S FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Butchers—G. Barnes 576, E. Ball 502, J. O'Connor 440, low score 275, handicap 219. Total 2,012.
Grocers—P. Stipe 415, A. Vout 511, L. Stewart 450, E. Bourne 444, handicap 162 Total 1,982.
Butchers won two.

HAWKS SELL PLAYERS

CHICAGO — Chicago Black Hawks of the National Hockey League, announced last night the sale of Billy Kendall and Oscar Hanson, forwards, to St. Louis Flyers of the American Hockey Association. The price was not disclosed.

FOR TOUGHER GOLF

LONDON—The executive committee of the English Golf Union has decided that the limit of handicaps of players competing in the English amateur championship should be reduced from five to three.

New York-Havana Air Time Clipped

HAVANA (AP) — Major Alexander de Seversky arrived here at 4.22 p.m. yesterday, bettering the air record between New York and Havana by two hours and one minute.

His official time was five hours and two minutes. Lieut.-Commander Frank Hawks flew the distance in 1931 in seven hours and three minutes.

Sunrise and Sunset

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December:

Day	Sunrise Hour	Sunset Hour
4	7.48	4.19
5	7.49	4.19
6	7.50	4.19
7	7.51	4.18
8	7.52	4.18
9	7.52	4.18
10	7.53	4.18
11	7.55	4.18
12	7.56	4.18
13	7.57	4.18
14	7.58	4.18
15	7.59	4.18
16	7.59	4.18
17	8.00	4.19
18	8.01	4.19
19	8.01	4.19
20	8.02	4.20
21	8.02	4.20
22	8.03	4.21
23	8.03	4.21
24	8.04	4.22
25	8.04	4.23
26	8.05	4.23
27	8.05	4.24
28	8.05	4.25
29	8.05	4.26
30	8.05	4.27
31	8.05	4.28

Deep-sea Shipping

TO ARRIVE

PRESIDENT JACKSON, Manila, Hongkong, Kobe, Yokohama, December 8.
DELFTDYK, Rotterdam, London, Swansea, December 10.
HEIAN MARU (Vancouver), Kobe, Nagoya, Shimidzu, Yokohama, December 13.
EMPRESS OF JAPAN, Manila, Hongkong, Kobe, Yokohama, Honolulu, December 14.
PACIFIC GROVE, Glasgow, Manchester, December 14.
AORANGI, Sydney, Auckland, Suva, Honolulu, December 17.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON, Manila, Hongkong, Kobe, Nagoya, Yokohama, December 22.
HIKAWA MARU (Vancouver), Kobe, Nagoya, Shimidzu, Yokohama, December 28.
LOCHGOIL, Rotterdam, London, Kingston, Jamaica, December 24.
EMPRESS OF ASIA, Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, December 27.
PACIFIC ENTERPRISE, Glasgow, Manchester, December 28.

TO SAIL

PRESIDENT GRANT, Yokohama, Kobe, Honokong, Manila, December 4.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, Hongkong, December 11.
DELFTDYK, Liverpool, Glasgow, London, Rotterdam, December 11.
PRESIDENT JACKSON, Yokohama, Kobe, Hongkong, Manila, December 18.
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PACIFIC GROVE (Vancouver), London, Liverpool, Manchester, Glasgow, December 18.
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EMPRESS OF JAPAN, Honolulu, Yokohame, Kobe, Shanghai, Hongkong, Manila, December 25.
HEIAN MARU (Vancouver), Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, December 25.
LOCHGOIL (Vancouver), Liverpool, London, Rotterdam, December 27.

RETIRES FROM COURTS

TOKIO — J. Yamagishi, Japanese Davis Cup player, has announced he will retire after competing in the Japanese lawn tennis championships. He will go into the army.

WIN FRENCH TITLES

PARIS — British and Irish players won all the titles in the French international badminton championships held here, repeating the British successes of 1936.

Fords for 1938 Arrive in Victoria

The new Fords arrived today, and are now on display at the National Motors. Above is shown the new 1938 de luxe four-door sedan, with entirely new styling, longer hood, and more sweeping curves. The de luxe Ford V-8 car is entirely new in appearance, longer, roomier and more streamlined. The front [illegible] modern and distinctive. Fenders are deeper and more massive. The rich interior [illegible] to match its [illegible] beauty. Longer bodies [illegible] and comfort and there [illegible] space in all models. The de luxe car is pow[illegible] the proved 95 horsepower V-8 engine.

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Cannot Find People To Pay Tax Rebates

The British Columbia government wants to pay small sums of money to a number of people but cannot find them. It has actually issued the cheques but they are uncashed. The total amount involved is nearly $1,000.

This was revealed in the Legislature when Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, replied to questions of R. L. Maitland, K.C., Conservative, Point Grey, regarding uncashed cheques for rebates on the income tax. Mr. Hart said cheques had been mailed but were returned by the post office undelivered. The totals involved were $355 in 1934 and 1935, $176 in 1936 and $465 this year.

SHOE REPAIR SHOP

W. D. Davies, who recently opened a shoe repair shop at 648 Johnson Street, is past president of the Edmonton and District Shoemakers' Association. He served as president for four years, and for three years as purchasing secretary. He served overseas with the 50th Battalion and was wounded at Passchendaele. He is a member of the local Amputations' Association, and is well-known in musical circles, being a member of the Shrine Band.

Overnight Entries For New Orleans

First race—Five and a half furlongs: Sadie P. 109, Out of Step 105, Civil War 108, Irene's Bob 107, Onaboy 105, Silver Tidings 109, Jack Full 105, Sage Girl 100, Ducmiss 106, John Marcum 103, Epernay 112, Lucky Quest 100, Bride's Delight 109, Tonagar 103, Rough Creek 106, John Werring 107, Margaret Nadi 102, Blond Jester 103.

Second race—Mile and 70 yards: Sol Hawk 106, Cloudet 106, General Boy 106, Rock Rim 106, Ala Carte 111, Sleep Along 109, Maple Barbara 109, Topway 106, Potterton 109, Love Potion 103, Boom's Pal 111, Felwyn 103, Thornby 109, Miss Joker 106, Oh Dolly 106, Masked Coelia 108, Merry Freda 108, Los Molinos 106.

Third race—Mile and 70 yards: Hey Flirt 111, Lakeshore 112, Fairest Flag 114, Lady Hockberger 108, Mynah 108, Fluke 106, Ruckie 112, Gallant Pat 112, Blessed Event 106, Petard 109, Busy Daughter 108, Beau Bon 111, Good Memory 109, Sailorman 101, Five Sisters 98, Red Rail 106, Uncle Lester 101, Sky Lad 112.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Mr. Mickey 113, Little Tramp 113, Eddie Gardner 113, Tight Mouth 113, Mad Kerry 113, Mae Pop 113, Private Life 113, Prince Placide 113, Lucrelude 113, Rayee 113, High Sheriff 113, Good Exchange 113, Red Colonel 113, Sir Blackie 113, By Gum 113, Indictment 113.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: Xekiel 112, Belle Elan 112, Surcouf 111, Terrier 107, Punderburg 112, Squaw Lady 104, Learoyd 109, Hymarque 103, Strategist II 109, Servant Pride 109, Miss Balko 104, Molasses Bob 107.

Sixth race—Six furlongs: Caravel 96, Gallienne 103, Bartering Kate 106, Henry M. 106, Yeeks 105, My Colin 108, Flying Watch 103, Royal Broom 107.

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Western Run 116, Baboo 112, Highman 112, Gold Spray 104, Night Ray 104, Anhelation 107, Furled Flag 107, Buzzin Around 111, Tiempo 109, Mr. Joe 112, The Corner 111, Dr. McLarney 107, Mouse Trap 107, Unlawful 111, Oxford Lad 107, Hickory Lad 111, Bay Boy 102, Hit and Run 111.

Mining Probe To Be Reported

Fingings of the Legislature's mining committee on its investigation into charges of Dr. J. Lyle Telford, C.C.F., Vancouver East, regarding B. C. Nickel mine will be submitted to the House.

This was decided in a resolution passed by the Legislature yesterday.

The investigation, which opened last Wednesday, is scheduled to resume next Wednesday.

Dr. Telford today gave notice of motion calling for an investigation by the railway committee of statements he made that too much was paid for lumber used in the building of some bridges on the Pacific Great Eastern Railway.

PRODUCTION TREND DOWN

SEATTLE, Wash. (AP)—Indicating the trend of production was still downward, 177 down and operating mills in Washington and Oregon reported to the West Coast Lumbermen's Association production of 55,465,767 board feet of lumber during the week ending November 27.

At the rate of cutting at the reporting mills the entire industry produced 35.2 per cent of its average weekly cut during 1926-29.

The second issue of the Camosunette, new bi-monthly publication of the Victoria High School, was published this week. The editors, Coulson Pottinger and Heather Pottinger, have increased the size of the paper and a number of fine articles have been published. School sports for the last two weeks were reviewed by students interested in their particular sport and club news was handled by club secretaries.

SHOULD TEACH CO-OPERATION

Education's Aim Should Be Three-fold, Says Prof. P. H. Elliott

An interesting contrast between the straight appeal to the intellect made by education today with the proper training of emotional studies and responses, was drawn by Professor P. H. Elliott, principal of Victoria College, in his address before the current events group of the Y.W.C.A. yesterday afternoon.

"Science and Some of its Social Implications" was the title of his address and he delved back as far as the Middle Ages to illustrate his contention that while reason played a comparatively small part in human affairs, it was emotion that inspired and controlled action, while intelligence directed it. At that time people prayed for relief from the scourge of plague and other diseases, and in gathering for worship spread the disease. To-day science and intelligence dictated the proper course in such matters.

Intelligence must be developed to the fullest limit, but should not supersede emotional response, Professor Elliott maintained, and in this connection he warned against the tendency of education today to become too purely intellectual.

He also urged that in the home, as well as in school, children should be taught to share the responsibilities, the work and the play of the group, the doctrine of co-operation and the brotherhood of man, to offset the tendency towards the unrestrained individualism which, in its national and international implications, is at the root of the world's troubles today.

In the churches the appeal was made to the emotions, as well as to the intellect, which was why religious teaching was so fundamental, he continued. In the past the mind had been appealed to through the schools; the emotions through the church. Why not appeal to the body as well, and with this additional instrument develop a fully integrated personality, he urged, pointing to the experiments carried out through the medium of directed exercises and activities in the schools of Great Britain with marked success.

Mrs. W. G. Wilson presided at the meeting.

NEW STORES ON FORT ST.

Permits Issued for Small Structures; City Leads in Building

Building activity in Victoria's downtown district continued this week with permits being issued today for construction of four stores, with living quarters in the rear, on the Fort Street block between Vancouver and Cook Streets.

The project, one of several started and considered during recent months, will cost in the neighborhood of $4,200. Major H. C. Holmes is listed as owner and Patrick Birley architect. E. J. Hunter will be contractor. The stores will cover lots at 1031 to 1037 on Fort Street.

The undertaking was the largest listed at the city building inspector's department this week. Nine other permits were issued, raising the total to $8,050. They included the erection of an electric roof sign on McGavin's Bakery, Quadra Street, at a cost of $500; construction of a delivery loading shed for McLean's Bakery on Pandora Avenue, at the same price, and provision for an elevator at the Pro Patria Clubrooms, Courtenay Street, also for $500, as well as a $2,000 residence on Seaview Avenue.

In Oak Bay a permit was issued to Mrs. A. C. Metcalfe for the construction of a six-room home at 186 Beach Drive, at a cost of $3,300.

Three permits were granted in Saanich for constructions totaling in value $1,200.

In Esquimalt building was virtually at a standstill.

S.S. YUKON IS FLOATED

SEATTLE—The Alaska passenger liner Yukon, which went aground in a heavy snowstorm near Valdez, Alaska, was refloated on a high tide and proceeded under her own power toward Valdez [illegible] message to United States co[illegible] headqu[illegible] here said.

TOWN TOPICS

Ward Four Liberals will hold their December business meeting on Wednesday next at Liberal headquarters at 8.

An executive meeting of Ward One Liberals will be held at the Liberal Headquarters, Monday evening at 8. All members are asked to attend.

The Victoria West United Church will mark the 25th anniversary of its opening with an anniversary banquet on Monday evening at 6.15.

Thieves who entered the New Method Laundry, North Park Street, last night, tampered with the till but took nothing, according to a police report.

Payment of $1,000 to the city by the Provincial Exhibition Association was made today as that organization's share of costs of improving the motor building at the fair grounds.

Miss Mary Martin and Miss Isabel Gray will address a special women's meeting in the Oaklands Gospel Hall on Monday evening at 8. All those interested in missionary work in British Columbia are invited to attend.

Gifts intended for the little inmates of the Queen Alexandra Solarium in time for their Christmas party on Friday, December 17, should be left at the office, 220 Pemberton Building, not later than Saturday, December 11, in order that they may be appropriately wrapped and allocated.

A swing band at Victoria High School gave its first performance yesterday at a pep meeting held in the auditorium during the noon hour. The band played four numbers. A fine supporting programme was arranged by John Pickford, who officiated as master of ceremonies.

Information on Victoria's transportation plans when the present street car system is scrapped is sought by J. Wilson Goode of the office of His Majesty's Trade Commissioner in Vancouver, in a letter received at the City Hall today. Several British firms are making trolleybuses and would be interested in any system which might be used, the letter said.

The weekly meeting of St. Mary's A.Y.P.A. was held in the Parish Hall, Yale Street, Wednesday. The date of the Christmas social was changed to Monday, December 20. Two new members were nominated into the branch, Marion Dell and Percy Wickett. Last Wednesday Mr. Ray Hadfield will give his report on the A.Y.P.A. Dominion conference.

A double page article entitled "Taking Cohoes on the Fly," written by Frank Giolma of the the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, is contained in the December issue of Hunting and Fishing in Canada. The article deals with the sport of catching cohoes on the fly in the open sea and mentions some of Vancouver Island's leading sportsmen in this regard.

A series of colored films remarkable for their beauty and quality will be shown by Herbert J. Pendray in the Memorial Hall next Monday evening at 8. They illustrate the recent travels of the lecturer and his party in a tour of the United Kingdom, South America and Africa, and are being sponsored by the Men's Parish Guild of Christ Church Cathedral. Mr. Pendray will give a descriptive talk as the films proceed.

The meeting of St. Alban's A.Y.P.A. yesterday evening took the form of a business meeting, being opened with prayers by the president, Miss Lenora Trickett. The association voiced its support of the pledge fund. Misses Marguerite Anderton, Muriel Purdy, Audrey Gibbons, George Stock and Rupert Maysmith were elected a social committee in charge of the next meeting on December 17. The guest speaker will be Ray Hadfield.

Trade treaties of the Liberal government would precipitate an early general election in Canada, Bruce A. McKelvie, Conservative candidate in last Monday's federal by-election, predicted in a brief talk at a Ward Three Conservative meeting in the Campbell Building last night. The affair was a social gathering at which E. H. Bragg led community singing, with A. Farey at the piano. Others who entertained were Miss June Percy and George Marriott. J. Taylor was chairman and refreshments were provided by Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. M. J. Shepherd and the committee in charge.

NEW COMMISSIONER

LONDON (AP)—Sir Harold Alfred MacMichael, veteran African administrator, Friday night was appointed high commissioner and commander-in-chief for Palestine and high commissioner for Transjordania.

Want Tax Spent Where Collected

Committee Makes Recommendation on Provincial-Dominion Relations

Matters dealing with provincial and federal government relations, which are being dealt with at sittings of the Rowell Royal Commission, were discussed by a special committee of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday in filling out a questionnaire submitted by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce. David Leeming is chairman of the committee, which will hold further sittings.

Among the recommendations made by the committee were that levies such as the gasoline and amusement taxes should be continued to be collected by the province but should be spent only in the municipalities where they are collected.

Reallocation of the power to impose income taxes to one unit of the Dominion Government was also urged. Government tax forms and other returns compiled by the government were criticized for being too involved and the committee recommended simplification of these and the addition of more adequate information.

Other recommendations were: That Security Frauds Prevention Acts be co-ordinated into one federal department; that education be left in the hands of the provinces, but that "agriculture, companies' acts, tax collections and administrations, statistics and publications, research work, health, relief to unemployed, labor regulations, old-age pensions, mining and tourism" be left under federal and provincial jurisdiction as at present; that life insurance should be a federal matter in its entirety, while fire and casualty should be under the jurisdiction of the provinces.

That the number of legislators, either in the federal or provincial House could not be reduced in the interests of efficiency, economy and adequate representation, because adequate representation was more necessary than the small economy effected in the reduction of representation."

The committee was informed that there were in Canada 111 cities, 1,511 towns and villages, 129 counties, 2,546 other rural municipalities and 23,231 school boards. They were in favor of reducing and co-ordinating these governing bodies where warranted.

Owing to the lack of information, the committee refused an answer to the question which would put them on record as favoring the abolition of various government ministerial posts in British Columbia and in the Dominion.

Tourist Praise And Criticism

The average tourist who comes to Victoria stays two and a half days and spends just over $12 a day, according to survey of tourist questionnaires received from visitors by the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau.

The various parties that come to the city consist of an average of 2.75 members, and each party spends about $32.46 a day.

Praise and criticism voiced by the visitors in replies to the bureau's questionnaires follow:

"Highways pretty rough, but much improved since trip three years ago, and noticed considerable improvement in progress."

"Your customs officers were very courteous and helpful; also the police."

"Roads are very poor.

"We are used to more rigid traffic control."

"We were disappointed in that it was Sunday when we visited Victoria, and did not know of your blue laws."

"We were there on Sunday—could not get a highball."

"People extremely considerate and courteous."

"A reasonable rate of speed is unsafe on some of the main highways."

"Gas too high. Does all gas tax go for roads?"

FIRST CATHEDRAL TROOP

The meeting of the First Cathedral Troop was held last night at the district headquarters and was opened by H. Ramsay. Inspection followed this and immediately after this instruction, during which Cyril Moss passed his compass.

J. Blakemore was given his tenderfoot and made a scout of the troop. The welcoming of six Cubs into the troop was also done. Rhodes received his second class badge. The orchestra will meet at Mrs. Warner's house Thursday evening at 7 for rehearsal.

The annual general meeting of the Victoria branch of the Guild of Health will be held in the Memorial Hall chapel at 8.

OBITUARY

DORA CHARLES

Many friends attended the funeral services for Mrs. Dora Charles of Brentwood Bay, held this morning at 9.30 in the Assumption Church. Father W. Lemmens celebrated mass and interment was in the West Saanich Catholic Cemetery. The pallbearers were: R. George, E. George, L. Paul, H. Paul, M. Cooper and Thomas Charles. Sands Mortuary were in charge of arrangements.

FREDERIC THOMAS SCAFE

Funeral services for Frederic Thomas Scafe, who passed away after a brief illness at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday, will be held at 2.15 on Monday afternoon in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, after which interment will be in Colwood Burial Park. Mr. Scafe was well known in local sporting circles, being president of the Saanich and Suburban Basketball League for the last four years. He also was associated with the Colwood Athletic Club for many years.

WILLIAM THOS. R. CHAPMAN

The funeral of William Thomas Richard Chapman took place yesterday afternoon from the Thomson Funeral Home, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse conducting the service in the presence of relatives and many friends. The casket was covered with many beautiful floral tributes. The hymn "Lead, Kindly Light," was sung by the congregation, and a solo, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," was rendered by Mrs. M. E. Thomson. The remains were laid at rest in the Colwood Burial Park. The following were pallbearers: H. Jackman, George Walton, G. W. Langley, F. W. Hilborne, F. E. Thomas and W. Denman.

ROBERT BROWN

In the presence of many friends, the funeral of Robert Brown took place yesterday afternoon, from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson conducted the service, during which the hymns "Abide With Me" and "Rock of Ages" were sung. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park. The following acted as pallbearers: Brothers J. Smith, A. Pynn, J. Green and N. Mottishead, representing the F.O.E. and R. Stevenson and J. Hayward, representing Hotel Douglas of which the late Mr. Brown was manager for many years. The service of the F.O.E. was conducted at the graveside by Frank Le Roy, president, and Jack Hayward, as chaplain.

LYNDSAY F. TOWLER

Many sorrowing friends were present at the funeral of Lyndsay F. Towler, held yesterday afternoon from St. Michael's Church. Bishop H. E. Sexton officiated, assisted by Rev. F. Comley and Canon S. J. Wickens. The choir was in attendance and the hymns, "Fight the Good Fight" and "Just As I Am," and the 23rd Psalm were sung. The "Nunc Dimittis" was sung as the cortege left the church. A representative from the Victoria Machinery Depot was present. A wealth of beautiful flowers was received. The following were pallbearers: Earl Thompson, Maurice Punt, Wilfred Amos, Oliver Gibbs, Sidney Vantreight and H. D. Coton. The remains were laid at rest in St. Michael's churchyard.

Stolen Car Lost in Fire

Two cars stolen from Victoria motorists last night were recovered by police, one undamaged and the other practically destroyed by fire.

The machine which took fire was owned by Robert McNeil, 1441 Edgeware Road, who reported it was taken from Broad Street about 7.15. It was found on fire at 9.15 on Mt. Tolmie. The car was half over a bank and before Saanich firemen extinguished the flames the car was almost wrecked.

A light delivery truck, stolen from outside the Metropolis Hotel and owned by W. W. Ralston, was found by Esquimalt police on Granville Street. It had not been damaged.

Kreutzberg Leaves Without Costumes

Beautiful costumes used by Harald Kreutzberg, noted Austrian dancer, who performed here last night, today are reposing in some Victoria home while Mr. Kreutzberg is scheduled to make an appearance today in Seattle.

After his performance last night Mr. Kreutzberg went from the theatre to the home of Mrs. Dorothy Wilson, 1210 Rockland Avenue, for a social evening before taking the boat. On arrival at her home he discovered the loss of his traveling bag containing his costumes. Despite a careful search this morning of the route he took, the bag was not found and it is believed it may have been stolen.

CROWD LAUDS GREAT DANCER

Harald Kreutzberg Thrills Audience With Supreme Artistry

An almost capacity audience at the Royal Victoria Theatre last night acclaimed Harald Kreutzberg, brilliant Viennese dancer, and recalled him so persistently that only the accidental jamming of the curtain at the close of the performance brought to a halt the ovation which greeted his superb art.

Heralded as the greatest dancer in Europe today, Kreutzberg quickly confirmed the claim. A master of interpretative dancing, he is reminiscent of Nijinsky in his technique, while at the same time the originality of his creations proclaim his virtuosity.

A supreme artist, he danced with his hands and face, as well as with his expressive, almost magic feet. Particularly was this apparent in the "Tango at Midnight," set to Albeniz music, in which the butterfly-like fluttering of his hands and the exquisite grace of the more languorous movements of the legs and torso exemplified the poetry of motion.

But the most popular interpretations on his beautifully balanced and varied programme were perhaps those which expressed the real spirit of fun, satire, and sparkling comedy. To this class belonged his "Barcarolle," to Scarlatti's music, a triumph of bucolic entertainment; his "Dance Through the Streets," a delicious mimicry of gaminesque impudence and swagger which was vociferously encored; and "Vagabond's Song," full of joie-de-vivre, and ranging in mood from the wistful to a gay, youthful abandon expressed in great leaps and somersaults.

A master of the art of expressing buffoonery through the medium of the dance, this gift reached its height in the concluding group of Three Merry Dances for Children. The first, "Little Pastorale," a gay portrait of the somewhat awkward peasant boy, tumbling about the fields; the second, "Happy Faun," a quaint, sprite, bubbling over with mischief, and with a Puckish laugh, and the final number of the group, "Old Vienna," a delicious bit of satirical comedy, depicting the strutting of a debonair gallant, ogling the ladies, and complete with flaming red wig and whiskers.

That Kreutzberg is as great an exponent of the classical tradition as he is of comedy, was strikingly demonstrated in the consummate artistry of the "Orpheus Lament for Eurydice," set to music by Friedrich Wilckens, his fellow-artist at the piano. The play of his features and his hands, and the use of the death-mask of Eurydice, allied with his sinuous movements, presented a picture of unutterable anguish.

To the same category belonged his macabre "Death," in which death's simulation to sleep was first portrayed, then, with the shedding of the funereal black garb to reveal a scarlet tunic, he dramatized death in its more violent form, concluding with a majestic gesture and a haunting, sardonic laugh.

"Master of Ceremonies," from Gozzi's "Turandot," was another superb bib of miming, combined with a marvellous exposition of the Oriental tradition and technique, while "Three Hungarian Dances," set to the music of Brahms, was the quintessence of grace and rhythmic beauty.

The costumes throughout, all designed by Kreutzberg, were unusually striking, his comedy creations recalling the Bakst influence in their vivid design and coloring.

Recalled many times after each number, the ovation to the dancer at the close included the pianist, Friedrich Wilckens, who gave magnificent support throughout the exacting programme.

Figs and Dates Now on Market

The first shipment of Christmas cooking and table figs from Turkey arrived on wholesale row today. A carload of dates arrived yesterday from Iraq.

California green peas and beans are plentiful on the market. Navel oranges will take another drop in price on Monday. A large shipment of Westholme Gem potatoes arrived from the interior today.

A Christmas tea and gift sale, under the auspices of the Ladies Guild, will be held in the parish hall of St. Martins-in-the-Field next Wednesday afternoon at 3. Canon Stocken will open the bazaar. There will be stalls of home cooking, Christmas gifts, candy and handkerchiefs and white elephant. An attractive programme has been arranged. Tea will be served.

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Announcements

DIED

BROWN—Passed away suddenly on December 2 at the family residence, Norgrove Apartments, Mrs. Jennie Isabel Brown, aged 69 years, beloved wife of Captain Douglas Brown. The late Mrs. Brown was a native of Virginia City, Nevada. She leaves in sorrow, besides her husband, three daughters, Mrs. A. C. Sinclair, Miss Agnes Brown and Miss Marjory Brown; one sister, Mrs. Margison; one grandchild, Jean Louise Sinclair, all of Victoria.

The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, from where the funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2.30. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

SCAFE—On Friday, December 3, there passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital, Thomas Scafe, aged 30 years, of 842 Carrie Street, and only son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Scafe, 900 Craigflower Road. The late Mr. Scafe was born in Victoria and leaves to mourn his loss his loving wife, father and mother.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2.15 p.m., at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF EMMANUEL ROCHON, DECEASED

All persons having claims against the estate of the late Emmanuel Rochon who died at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, on the 23rd day of June, 1937, and whose will has been proven by his executor, the undersigned trustee, in the Supreme Court of British Columbia on the 21st day of October, 1937, are hereby required to send full particulars of their claims duly verified to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of December, 1937, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate according to law, having regard only to the claims of which it then shall have notice.

All persons indebted to the estate are hereby required to pay the amount of the said indebtedness to the undersigned executor at 1202 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., forthwith.

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Estate of Joseph William Wood, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Joseph William Wood, deceased, late of the Municipality of Esquimalt, in the Province of British Columbia, who died intestate on or about the 14th day of October 1937, at the City of Vancouver, Province aforesaid, administration of whose estate was granted on the 2nd day of December, 1937, in the Victoria Registry of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, to Rupert Leslie Cox, Official Administrator in and for the County of Victoria, are hereby required to send by post prepaid full particulars in writing of their claims and demands, verified by Statutory Declaration, to the undersigned, on or before the 4th day of January, 1938, and all parties who have any assets belonging to, or are indebted to the said deceased, are required to forward particulars of same to me forthwith; and that the said Administrator will, after the last-mentioned date, proceed to distribute the assets of the said intestate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to Section 28 of the "Trustee Act," the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets of the said intestate, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims and demands he shall not have had notice by the said 4th day of January, 1938, and that he will make final distribution of the assets at the expiration of one year after the death of the said deceased.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 4th day of December, A.D. 1937.

R. L. COX, Official Administrator,
County of Victoria, Administrator of the estate of Joseph William Wood, deceased; 519 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

Popular Team In Comedy

Irene Dunne and Cary Grant, who appear in the featured roles of "The Awful Truth," now showing at the Capitol Theatre

Baptist

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the Central Baptist Church tomorrow evening, when the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. B. Rowell, will preach. This is the second in a series of three studies entitled "Triunity in Shepherdhood as Revealed in the Scriptures." The Lord's Supper will be observed.

The special speaker at the morning service will be Rev. Frank Stanley of the Sudan Interior Mission.

A missionary rally, with two speakers, will be the special feature in the afternoon at 3. The speakers will be Rev. Thomas Titcombe and Mr. Stanley, both of the Sudan Interior Mission, and with long and wide experience in Africa.

The Sunday school and Bible classes will meet at 9.45, the prayer service on Thursday at 8, and the young people's meeting on Friday at 8.

EMMANUEL

At the Emmanuel Baptist Church tomorrow morning the congregation will welcome as pulpit guest Professor F. E. Warren of the Seattle Pacific College. Professor Warren is an outstanding preacher and teacher, and especially noted for his work among young people. At the close of the morning service the pastor, Dr. A. S. Imrie, will conduct the last Communion service of the year at which new members will be received into the church.

Dr. Imrie will preach at the evening service, his subject being "The Bewildered Trisler." At this service the choir, under the leadership of Harold Parfitt, will sing "O Gladsome Light" (Sullivan), and Norman L. Maynard, baritone, will render a sacred solo. Don Smith will lead the sacred song service commencing at 7.15 o'clock.

Special meetings for the week will include the B.Y.P.U. on Tuesday evening at 8, the midweek service for prayer and praise on Wednesday evening at 8, and men's prayer circle on Saturday evening at 7.30.

In "Messiah"

LEONARD HAYMAN

who will sing the tenor role in Handel's "Messiah" at Christ Church Cathedral next Wednesday evening.

Other Denominations

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Herbert Wensley will sing a duet at this service also.

MISSION OF ALEXIS

The Spiritual Mission of Alexis, 1042 Balmoral Road, will meet at 7.30 tomorrow, when the control "Alexis" will speak on "Spiritualism, the Link." Following this messages will be given by Mrs. McDermott. On Tuesday, from 2.30 to 5, there will be a silver tea, with Mr. McDermott reading. On Thursday the discussion class will meet at 8.

TRUTH CENTRE

"Seven Great Delusions" will be the topic of the morning service at Victoria Truth Centre tomorrow, by Samuel Walker Sloan, inspirational lecturer and teacher. There will be a solo by Mrs. Carver, "The 23rd Psalm" (Molotte).

In the evening the subject will be "The Transcendant Principle." There will be a solo by Mrs. N. Smythe. "Come Ye Blessed" (Prindle-Scott).

The Friday evening class on "Basic Truth" will be held as usual.

OAK BAY THEATRE

Victoria and Vancouver Island lives on the screen. All the realism of a big logging camp is combined with a story of action, heroism and stirring romance in "Fury and the Woman," current feature at the Oak Bay Theatre. Produced by Central, Central Films Limited this full-length attraction proves the quality found in Victoria's new and growing industry. William Gargan and Molly Lamont are co-starred.

CAPITOL THEATRE

"The Awful Truth," hilarious comedy co-starring Irene Dunne and Cary Grant is now at the Capitol Theatre. Mainly responsible for the laughs is the madcap Irene Dunne, who contributes some deft clowning in a role described as wilder than her memorable "Theodora." Leo McCarey, who directed "Ruggles of Red Cap," directed from a screen story story by Vina Delmar, who adapted the Arthur Richman play.

CONFIRM RECORD

LONDON—The mark of Sydney C. Wooderson, noted English miler who ran a mile in 4.6.6 here in July, has been confirmed by the Amateur Athletic Association as an English native record. It has not yet come up for world recognition.

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ZONING BY-LAW, CITY OF VICTORIA

NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons who deem themselves affected by the provisions of the proposed "ZONING BY-LAW, 1929, AMENDMENT BY-LAW (No. 12), 1937," of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, will be afforded an opportunity to be heard on the matters contained therein, before the City Council at a public hearing to be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on MONDAY, the THIRTEENTH day of DECEMBER, 1937, at EIGHT o'clock p.m.

A copy of the proposed By-law may be inspected at the office of the undersigned between the hours of 9.00 o'clock a.m. and 12.00 o'clock noon on any Saturday, and between the hours of 9.00 o'clock a.m. and 5.00 o'clock p.m. on any other week day.

M. F. HUNTER,
Clerk of the Municipal Council.
Clerk's Office,
City Hall, Victoria, December 3, 1937.

"Life of Emile Zola" at Atlas

"The Life of Emile Zola," and the scandal surrounding the conviction and imprisonment of Captain Alfred Dreyfus on Devil's Island, on a trumped up charge that he had sold important army secrets to Germany, will open Monday at the Atlas Theatre.

Not only the success of "The Story of Louis Pasteur," with Paul Muni in the title role, but also the powerful drama of Zola's picturesque career as a moulder of public opinion in France, influenced the studio in making this picture. Muni, who won the Academy Award for his Pasteur effort, also has the title role in "Zola."

DOMINION THEATRE

Jean Parker, screen star who made a hit a year ago in "Sequoia," has again been cast in an outdoor part for "The Barrier," Paramount's adaptation of the Rex Beach novel, at the Dominion Theatre.

Miss Parker is seen as Necia, the daughter of a trader and his Indian wife, who ran a post in Flambeau, Alaska, during the gold rush. Playing opposite her in the film is James Ellison. The cast includes, besides Miss Parker and Ellison, such names as Leo Carrillo, Otto Kruger, Robert Barrat, Andy Clyde and Sara Haden.

The picture was directed by Les Selander.

PLAZA THEATRE

It takes a chemist to build a motion picture fire.

The chemist who made the bonfire for the "mickey roast" in Samuel Goldwyn's "Dead End," starring Sylvia Sidney and Joel McCrea at the Plaza Theatre today, was Irving Sindler, property man.

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COLUMBIA THEATRE

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(As Advertised)

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CAPITOL — "The Awful Truth," starring Irene Dunne.

COLUMBIA — "Our Relations," starring Laurel and Hardy.

DOMINION—"The Barrier," starring Jean Parker.

OAK BAY—"Fury and the Woman," starring William Gargan.

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Specialties Higher In Dull Session On Wall Street Market

NEW YORK (AP)—Specialties, led by farm implements, gave a quiet display of strength in today's stock market.

While a few issues got up as much as 6 points or so at the best, most leaders lacked sufficient buying support to extend the recent rally by more than fractions. There also was an assortment of losers at the close.

The machinery group apparently was taken in hand on the theory the United States Congress will put through a farm bill increasing rural buying power.

Many traders, brokers said, were inclined to even up over the week-end. Short covering helped keep the list in balance.

Dealings were unusually slow for a Saturday session, approximating 500,000 shares.

Commodities and bonds were uneven.

Steels were unable to get much of a grip on the upside.

Utilities were moderately resistant following word Senator King of Utah would introduce in Congress a bill next week to repeal the so-called "death sentence" clause in the controversial holding company act.

Rails, oils, merchandising and aircraft shares were narrow. A few building material issues again responded to hopes engendered by the New Deal housing programme.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials — 127.79, up 0.24.

Twenty rails — 32.62, up 0.27.

Twenty utilities—22.41, off 0.10.

Forty bonds — 93.44, up 0.20.

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	52-5	52-2	52-2
Allied Chemicals	160-6	160	160-6
Allis Chalmers	45-6	44-4	45-5
Allied Stores	8-7	8-6	8-6
American Can	84	83-4	83-4
American Celanese	19-3	19	19
American For. Power	4-6	..	4-6
American Locomotive	21-7	21-4	21-6
American P. and L.	7-5	7-4	7-4
American Radiator	14-3	14-2	14-2
American Rolling Mills	23-4	..	23-4
American Smelter	50-4	49-4	49-6
Amer. Tel. and Tel.	150-4	149-7	150
American Tobacco	69	68-7	69
American Waterworks	14	13-5	13-6
Anaconda Copper	32	31-5	32
Atchison Railway	41-6	41-4	41-5
Atlantic Refining	21-1	20-6	21-1
B. and O. Railway	12-5	12-3	12-4
Baldwin Locomotive	8-7	..	8-7
Bendix Aviation	13-3	..	13-3
Beth. Steel	55-1	54	54
Boeing	25-4	25	25-4
Borden	17-6	..	17-6
Borg Warner	28-7	28-6	28-6
Briggs	24-6	24-5	24-5
Canada Dry	15-4	15-1	15-1
C. P. R.	8-4	..	8-4
Case (J. I.)	96-4	91	95-4
Cerro de Pasco	44	..	44
C. and O. Railway	40	39-4	39-6
Chrysler	59-3	57-6	58-4
Columbia Gas	10	9-6	9-6
Commercial Credit	39-4	39	39-4
Commercial Solvent	9	..	9
Commonwealth and So.	2-2	2-1	2-2
Congoleum	24-6	..	24-6
Con. Edison	26-5	26-2	26-2
Cont. Can	42-4	41-2	42-4
Cons. Oil	9-5	9-5	9-5
Cont. Oil	31	30-4	30-6
Crown Zellerbach	12-2	12-1	12-1
Crucible Steel	33	32-4	32-6
Curtiss Wright	3-3	..	3-3
Do., A	13-1	..	13-1
Deere and Co.	25-5	24-7	25-5
Douglas Aircraft	35-2	34-2	35-2
Dupont	118-2	117	118-2
Eastman Kodak	160-4	158	160
El. Auto Lite	20-1	20	20-1
El. Power and Lite	14	13-6	13-6
General Foods	31-5	31-1	31-4
Gen. Electric	44-1	43-4	44
General Motors	36-1	35-5	36
Goodyear	22	21-3	22
Granby Copper	4-5	..	4-5
Great Northern	27-4	27	27
Great West Sugar	29-4	..	29-4
Int. Harvester	69-2	67	68-6
Howe Sound	48-4	47-6	48-4
Hudson Motors	7-5	..	7-5
Inspiration Copper	12-2	12-1	12-1
Int. Nickel	44-3	43-6	44
Ind. Rayon	20	..	20
Int. Tel.	7	..	7
Ill. Central	11-5	11-3	11-5
Johns Manville	85-4	82-6	85-4
Kennecott Copper	37-2	36-7	37
Kresge	16-3	..	16-3
L. and M. Tobacco	90	89-4	90
Loew's	53-3	53	53-2
Lorillard	17-1	..	17-1
Mack Truck	22-2	..	22-2
Monsanto Chemical	81	79	80-4
Montgomery Ward	36-5	36	36-4
Motor Wheel	12-1	..	12-1
Nash Kelvinator	11-1	10-7	11-1
National Biscuit	18-7	..	18-7
National Dairy Products	15-1	15	15-1
National Distilleries	23-7	23-6	23-6
National P. and L.	8-4	..	8-4
New York Central	20-1	19-6	20
North American Co.	23-6	23-4	23-4
North American Avi.	7-5	7-3	7-5
Northern Pacific	13-4	13-2	13-2
Ohio Oil	12-7	12-5	12-5
Owens Ill. Glass	67	66-4	67
Pacific Gas and Elec.	26-6	26-4	26-4
Packard	5-1	5	5
Paramount Pictures	12-5	12-4	12-5
Pennsylvania Railway	23-3	23	23
People's Gas	36	..	36
Phillips Pete.	41-3	41-1	41-2
Pullman	33-5	33-3	33-3
Pure Oil	12-4	12-1	12-1
Radio	7-1	7	7
Remington Rand	14-4	..	14-4
Republic Iron and Steel	19	18-6	19
Safeway Stores	24-3	..	24-3
Schenley	29-6	..	29-6
Sears Roebuck	57-6	57-4	57-6
Socony Vacuum	15-6	15-2	15-6
Southern Pacific	22-5	21-7	22-3
Southern Railway	14-3	14	14-2
Sperry Corp.	13-4	13-2	13-2
Standard Brands	8-4	..	8-4
Standard Gas	5-5	..	5-5
Standard Oil Cal.	31-1	30-2	30-2
Standard Oil N.J.	45-6	45-4	45-4
St. Paul Railway	1-1	..	1-1
Studebaker	5-6	..	5-6
Texas Corp.	43	42	42-5
Texas Gulf	30-4	..	30-4
Timken	43-2	..	43-2
Trans-American	11-1	11	11-1
Twentieth Century Fox	22-2	22	22
Union Carbide	73-4	72-6	72-6
Union Oil Cal.	20-4	20-1	20-1
United Aircraft	20-6	20	20-6
United Corp.	3-7	..	3-7
United Fruit	58-6	58	58
United Gas and Imp.	11	..	11
U.S. Indus. Alcohol	21	..	21
U.S. Rubber	28-5	27-6	28-1
Do. pfd.	56-4	..	56-4
U.S. Smelting	67-2	66	67-2
U.S. Steel	59-1	57-4	58-4
Vanadium	17	..	17
Warner Bros.	8-1	7-7	7-7
Westinghouse Electric	110	108	109-2
Western Union	27-2	..	27-2
Woolworth	38-4	38	38-4
Youngstown S. and T.	41-2	40-2	40-5
Zenith Radio	18-6	..	18-6

MONTREAL—Silver futures closed steady today, five points off. Sales: Two December contracts. December close, 44.20b.

MONTREAL—Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 13.50. Tin, 46½. Lead, 5.05. Zinc, 4.95. Antimony, 16. Per 100 lbs., f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

SMELTERS UP AT MONTREAL

MONTREAL (CP) — Stock market prices pointed fractionally higher in Saturday's quiet week-end session.

Smelters advanced more than a point to around 55½. Nickel and Hollinger firmed narrowly but Noranda failed to appear.

A few light sales of National Steel Car brought a gain at 31⅝ while C.P.R. and Canadian Car edged forward quietly. Brazilian suffered another setback, dipping ⅛ to 11.

Oils ruled steady to firmer. Dominion Steel advanced narrowly. A small loss showed, however, for Dominion Bridge.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Close
Bell Telephone	164
Brazil Traction	11¼
B.C. Power B	5⅛
Can. Cement	9
Can. Steamships	3
Do., pfd.	10
Can. Car Foundry	9¾
Do., pfd.	20½
Can. Ind. Alcohol	5
C. P. R.	8½
Cockshutt Plow	9
Cons. Smelters	55½
Dominion Bridge	30
Seagrams	15⅛
Dominion Coal pfd.	19
Do., B	14¾
Dominion Glass pfd.	153
Dominion Textiles	75
Do., pfd.	150
Dominion Tar	8½
Foundation of Canada	14¼
Gen. Steelwares	9½
Gatineau Power pfd.	71
Can. Gypsums	6½
Hamilton Bridge pfd.	49
Hollinger	12⅜
Howard Smith	15
Do. pfd.	100
Imperial Tobacco	13¾
Imperial Oil	18¼
Intl. Nickel	44
Intl. Pete	29
McColl Frontenac	10⅝
Montreal Cottons pfd.	105
Montreal Power	29
Montreal Tramways	89½
National Brew	39¼
Do., pfd.	41½
National Steel Car	31⅝
Noranda	50
Ogilvies New	28
Do., Old common	230
Penmans	57
Price Bros.	17¼
Do., pfd.	54
Quebec Power	16½
St. Lawrence Corp.	5¼
Shawinigan W.P.	20
Steel of Canada	63
Winnipeg Electric	2½
CURB	
Abitibi	2
Do., pfd.	20
Asbestos	61
Bathurst B	4½
Beauharnois	7¼
B.A. Oil	22
Can. Malting	35¼
Can. Brewing	1½
Do., pfd.	16⅝
Can. Nor. Power pfd.	108¼
Can. Wineries	2⅞
Cons. Paper	7¼
East Dairy pfd.	8
Ford A	17¼
Fraser Co.	16¼
McLarens	18⅞
Power Corp. pfd.	95½
Royalite Oil	49½
Hiram Walkers	41½
Do. pfd.	18¼
BANKS	
Canada	57½
Commerce	160
Montreal	197½
Nova Scotia	295

MONTREAL—Bar gold in London up a cent at $34.99 an ounce in Canadian funds; 139s 11½d in British. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted ot $34.99 in Canadian.

FAST MARKET MOVES UP OILS

TORONTO (CP)—A fast market today in the western oils marked the final Toronto Exchange session of the week with the close higher throughout except in some of the industrial groups.

Royalite gained 2 to around 49. Heavy traders among cheaper issues were Calgary-Edmonton, up 24 cents to 2.90; Okalta, up about 10 cents to around 1.58, and Foothills, also up 10 cents to 1.10. Home added 8 or 9 cents and the close was higher for A.P. Consolidated, East Crest, Brown, Commonwealth, Dalhousie, Monarch and United. British American firmed about ⅜.

Consolidated Smelters finished above the 55 mark, Nickel around 44 and Noranda at 49, all showing gains of fractions to a point. Steel of Canada preferred firmed more than a point but weakness ruled among the other steels.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	163	164½
Brazilian T. L. and P.	11	11¼
B.A. Oil	22	22¼
B.C. Power A	32¼	33¼
Canada Cement	8⅝	--
Do. pfd.	91	--
Canadian Pacific	8½	8⅝
Fanny Farmer	23	23¼
Ford A	17	17¾
Gypsum, Lime and Alab.	6	6¾
Imperial Oil	18	18¼
Imperial Tobacco	13¼	13⅜
Inter. Petroleum	28⅞	29¼
Kelvinator of Canada	--	13⅞
McColl Frontenac	10¼	--
Do. pfd.	88	89
Montreal Power com.	29	29⅜
Shawinigan W. and P.	19⅞	20¼
Bank of Montreal	195⅝	--
Royal Bank	166	--

(By J. W. Jones Ltd.)

	Close
Aldermac	45
Argosy	25
Bagamac Rouyn	14½
Base Metals	15
Bidgood Kirkland	41
Bous Cadillac	14
Bralorne	785
Buffalo Ankerite	1175
C. and E.	287
Canadian Malartic	102
Cariboo Gold	116
Cartier Malartic	9½
Castle Tretheway	60
Central Manitoba	4½
Central Patricia	243
Chemical Research	50
Cons. Chibougamau	21
Coniagas	200
Coniarum	145
Dark Water	9½
Dome Mines	5000
East Malartic	90
Eldorado	210
Falconbridge	500
Federal Kirkland	11
God's Lake	50
Hard Rock	96
Hollinger	1275
Howey Gold	27
Hudson Bay	2300
J. M. Consolidated	18
Kirkland Lake	126
Lake Shore	4925
Leitch Gold	77
Little Long Lac	480
Macassa	500
McLeod Cockshutt	113
McKenzie Red Lake	95
McWatters Gold	33
Moneta	212
Mining Corp.	174
Morris Kirkland	16
Nipissing	192
Noranda	4875
O'Brien Gold	490
Pamour Porcupine	335
Paymaster	4950
Perron Gold	115
Pickle Crow	525
Pioneer Gold	305
Premier Gold	185
Prospectors Airways	75
Red Lake Gold Shores	18
Read Authier	375
Reno Gold	64
Ritchie Gold	3
Royalite	4925
San Antonio	135
Sherritt Gordon	132
Siscoe	350
Sladen Malartic	93
St. Anthony	14⅛
Stadacona	46
Sudbury Basin	295
Sullivan	98
Sylvanite	295
Teck Hughes	510
Thompson Cadillac	32
Toburn	230
Ventures	560
Waite Amulet	138
Wright Hargreaves	740
Ymir Yankee Girl	22

C. & E. Boosts Its Price 27 Cents

CALGARY (CP)—Higher values ruled on the Calgary Stock Exchange today with share transfers totaling 169,559.

C. and E. led the way closing at 2.92 for a gain of 27. Okalta was up 17 at 155 and Home 15 higher at 1.50. Vulcan and Davies Pete each were better by seven points, closing at 1.32 and 50 respectively. Commoil was 4½ higher at 52½. Calmont was four higher at 58.

MODEST GAINS ON BOND LIST

NEW YORK (AP) — The bond market lifted modestly on light turnover today. As the short session drew to a close, federal loans were a little higher.

Italian and Japanese bonds climbed fractions to a point. Some South American issues turned down fractions.

FOREIGN

(By Burns & Wainwright Ltd.)

New York	Bid	Asked
Australia 4½% 1956	99.135	100.375
Bolivia 7% 1958	3.50	4.25
Chile 6% 1961	14.50	15.25
French 7% 1949	106.00	115.00
German 4½% 1965	23.00	23.75
Italy 7% 1951	80.50	82.00
Japan 6½% 1954	78.00	79.50
Norway 6% 1944	106.125	110.50
Peru 6% 1961	10.25	11.75
Sydney 5½% 1955	100.625	103.50
Uruguay 6% 1960	49.625	51.625

CORPORATION BONDS

(By Burns & Wainwright Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Public Utilities—		
B.C. Telephone 6% pfd.	107.00	109.00
B.C. Electric 6% pfd.	109.00	111.00
C.P.R. 3½% 1951	89.75	91.50
C.N.P. 5% 1953	102.25	104.00
Calgary Power 5% 1960	95.00	97.00
Gatineau Power 5% 1956	102.00	103.50
Shawinigan 4% 1961	97.75	99.25
Montreal Power 3½% 1973	93.50	95.50
Western Power 5% 1949	104.75	106.75
Industrials—		
Canada Steamships 5% 1957	73.00	74.75
Canada Cement 4½% 1951	101.75	103.50
Famous Players 4½% 1951	94.50	96.50
McColl Frontenac 6% 1949	102.75	104.25
Massey Harris 5% 1947	93.50	95.50
Simpsons Ltd. 4½% 1951	93.00	95.00
Grain Issues—		
Alberta Pacific 6% 1946	60.00	70.00
Federal Grain 6% 1949	80.00	84.00
United Grain 5% 1948	74.00	77.00
Do. 5½% 1949	80.00	85.00
Western Grain 6% 1949	28.00	32.00

PROVINCIAL AND MUNICIPALS

(By Burns & Wainwright Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4% 1954	52.50	55.00
Do. 4½% 1956	52.50	55.50
Do. 5 % 1942	55.50	58.50
Do. 5½% 1947	57.50	59.50
Do. 6 % 1947	62.50	65.50
British Columbia 4% 1957	88.50	91.50
Do. 4½% 1953	93.50	95.75
Do. 5 % 1959	98.75	100.75
Do. 5½% 1945	100.50	103.50
Do. 6 % 1947	102.25	104.50
Manitoba 4% 1957	83.00	85.50
Do. 4½% 1960	83.50	87.00
Do. 5½% 1958	94.00	97.00
Do. 6 % 1947	96.50	99.00
New Brunswick 3% 1951	88.50	91.00
Do. 3½% 1956	92.00	94.00
Do. 4½% 1961	102.00	104.00
Do. 5 % 1954	105.50	108.50
Nova Scotia 3% 1956	91.50	93.50
Do. 3¼% 1956	95.00	97.00
Do. 4½% 1952	106.75	108.75
Do. 5 % 1959	114.00	116.50
Ontario 4% 1966	105.00	107.00
Do. 4½% 1965	110.00	113.00
Do. 5 % 1948	113.25	115.00
Do. 5½% 1946	115.00	116.50
Do. 6 % 1943	114.75	116.50
Prince Edward Isl. 3% 1945	95.50	98.50
Quebec 3% 1951	95.00	96.50
Do. 4½% 1958	107.50	109.50
Do. 4½% 1950	109.00	111.00
Saskatchewan 4% 1954	63.00	66.00
Do. 4½% 1951	73.50	76.50
Do. 5 % 1958	70.50	74.50
Do. 5½% 1952	76.00	79.50
Do. 6 % 1952	79.00	82.00
Municipal—		
Montreal 5% 1945	104.00	106.50
Quebec 5% 1953	103.50	106.50
Toronto 5% 1953	114.50	117.50
Vancouver 5% 1969	86.50	91.50
Winnipeg 4½% 1960	89.50	93.50

DOMINION

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
4½% September 1940	106¼	106⅝
5 % November 1941	109⅝	109⅞
5 % October 1943	111⅜	111⅝
4½% October 1944	110¼	110¾
4 % October 1943-45	106⅛	106⅜
4½% February 1946	110⅜	110⅝
3¼% June 1949	100⅞	101¼
3¼% November 1951	100	100⅜
3½% October 1944-49	101	102⅜
4 % October 1947-52	106⅛	106⅝
3 % June 1950-55	96⅞	97⅜
4½% November 1948-58	110	110½
4½% November 1949-59	110¼	110⅝
3¼% June 1956-66	99¼	99⅝
3 % Perpetual	87⅛	87⅝
3 % January 1967 New York	93½	94
G.T.P. 3% 1962	95⅛	96
Do. 4% 1962	106½	
C.N.R. 3% 1944	101	101⅜
C.N.R. 3% 1945-50	96½	
Do. 3% 1948-53	95⅞	96⅜
C.No.R. 3½% 1958	98⅝	100½
C.N.R. 4½% 1951	113⅛	114⅛
Do. 4½% 1957	113⅝	114⅛
Do. 4¾% 1955	116⅛	117
Do. 5 % 1954	117	117½
Do. 5 % July 1969	116⅞	117⅞
Do. 5 % October 1969	118⅝	--

NEW YORK CURB

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Close
American Cyanide B	23½
American Super Power	1¼
American Gas and Electric	28⅞
Associated Gas and Electric	1½
Brazilian Traction	10⅝
Cities Service	2
Electric Bond and Share	11¾
Ford A. Canada	16⅞
Ford, England	5⅞
Hudson Bay M. and S.	22¼
Humble Oil	61⅞
Inter. Petroleum	28⅞
Imperial Oil	18⅛
Newmont Mining	62½
Standard Oil, Kentucky	17½
Pioneer Gold	3
Newmont Mining	62¼
American Aluminum	79
United P. and L. A	3½
United Gas	5⅝
Caribbean Syndicate	1
Niagara Hudson Power	8⅝
Distillers, England	25⅝
Gulf Oil	37¾
Pantapec Oil	4⅝
Canadian Marconi	1⅛
Fisk Rubber	7⅝
Creo. Petroleum	23
Cord Corp.	2¼
Lake Shore Mining	49⅝
Teck Hughes	5⅛
Hecla Mining	10⅛
Wright Hargreaves	7⅜
Segal Lock	1⅛
Premier Gold	1⅞
Louisiana Land Exp.	6⅝

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK — Foreign exchange steady; Great Britain in dollars, others in cents.

Great Britain demand 4.99¼; cables 4.99¼; 60-day bills 4.98 7-16.

Dollars — Montreal in New York 100.03½; New York in Montreal 99.96⅞.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL—Spot: Butter, Quebec fresh (92 score), 30 to 30¼. Sales, 100 boxes Quebec grass (92 score), 30⅛.

Eggs, Ont., A large, 32a; A medium, 28a.

Butter futures firmer, ⅛ to ¼ cent up; December, 30⅛ to 30⅜. Sale, one January contract, 30⅝.

Wheat Up In Quiet Winnipeg Session

WINNIPEG (CP) — Wheat futures leaned to the upside in quiet trading on Winnipeg Grain Exchange today in sympathy with firm United States and Buenos Aires prices. Final quotations were 1⅛ to 1¼ cent higher, December at $1.17¼, May $1.14⅛ to $1.14¼, and July $1.09⅞.

Prices forged ahead 1⅜ to 1¾ cents early in continued unfavorable reports from the Argentine, slightly higher stocks and strong cash wheat prices.

A private report that November frost damage in Cordoba province of the Argentine caused 30 per cent loss of wheat induced light buying.

Futures eased from top levels ¾ the close when U.S. wheat futures showed easiness. Liverpool, under pressure of new Southern Hemisphere offers, closed 1⅛d to 1d lower. Buenos Aires, however, finished 1⅛d to ⅛ cent higher.

Stocks of Canadian wheat at the Lakehead declined nearly 3,000,000 bushels for the week, totaling 11,666,000 bushels compared with 14,577,000 a week ago. Stocks a year ago were 11,301,000 bushels.

Nos. 1, 2 and 4 northern cash wheat grades advanced a cent owing to scarcity of offerings. Nos. 1 and 2 sold at 20 and 13 cents above the December future at the close.

Coarse grain prices tended to move higher with wheat. Routine trading accounted for most trades.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Wheat—	P. Clo.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	114	113-4	114-4	113-3	114-2
July	109-8	109-2	110-2	109-1	109-7
Dec.	116-1	116	117-4	116	117-2
Oats—					
May	45-5	45-7	46-4	45-7	46-3
July	42-6	43-2	43-6	43-1	43-4
Dec.	46-2	46-4	47-1	46-4	46-7
Rye—					
May	76-3	76-2	77-4	76	77-3
July	75-4	76	76-4	76	76-4
Dec.	74-2	74-4	75-3	74-4	75
Barley—					
May	57-7	57-7	58-3	57-6	58-2
July	56-3	56-3	..	..	56-3
Dec.	57-6	58	58-6	58	58-5

Cash Grain Close

Wheat—1 hard 137, 1 northern 137¼, 2 130¼, 3 112¼, 4 101¼, 5 92¼, 6 83¼, feed 74¼, track 129¼. Amber Durum—1 92¼, 2 86½, 3 84½, 4 81½, track 91¼. Arw.—1 97¼, 2 95¼, 3 93¼. Garnet—1 112¼, 2 109¼.

Oats—2 cw. 48⅜, 3 44⅛, ex. 1 feed 44⅛, 1 feed 41⅛, 2 39⅝, 3 37⅝, track 46⅞. Barley—2 row. 58⅜, 6 58⅜, 3 cw. 57⅛, 4 55⅝, 5 54⅝, 6 53⅝, track 58⅝. Rye—1 cw. 75, 2 75, 3 70, rej. 2 68, 4 cw. 68, track 75. Flax—1 nwc. 171, 2 cw. 167, 3 146, 4 141, track 171.

INDEMNITIES FOR MONDAY
(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)
Winnipeg

	Bid	Offer
Wheat—		
May	112	116-7
July	107-7	
December	115	120-2
Oats—		
May	--	46-6
Rye—		
May	--	79-2
Barley—		
May	58	--

CHICAGO (AP) — Without leadership and under pressure of persisten profit-taking sales, the wheat market fluctuated up and down within a range of scarcely more than a cent a bushel today and wound up practically unchanged from yesterday's close.

Firmness in stocks and estimates of around 300,000 bushels export sales of North American wheat, including 125,000 bushels of Pacific Coast wheat to Norway, helped keep the market steady. Some traders, however, considered this export volume disappointing.

Wheat closed ¼ lower to ¼ higher compared with Friday's finish, December 95 to 95⅛, May 92⅛ to 92⅝, and corn was ⅛ to ⅝ up, December 53⅞ to 54, May 57⅛ to 57¼. Oats were unchanged to ⅛ up.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Wheat—	P. Clo.	Open	High	Low	Close
July	86-1	86-1	86-5	85-4	86-1
Dec.	94-7	94-6	95-5	94-1	95-1
May	92-4	92-2	93-1	91-7	92-4
Corn—					
July	57-5	57-5	58-3	57-5	58
Dec.	53-6	53-5	54-3	53-5	53-7
May	56-5	56-4	57-3	56-4	57-1
Oats—					
July	29-4	29-3	29-4	29-3	29-4
Dec.	31-1	31-1	31-2	31-1	31-2
May	30-2	30-1	30-4	30-1	30-3
Rye—					
July	..	65-2	65-2	64-2	64-2
Dec.	..	67-7	68-3	67-5	67-5
May	..	68-4	69-2	68-4	68-6

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER — Vancouver wheat cash prices:

	Straight	Tough
No. 1 hard	128⅛	126⅛
No. 1 northern	128⅛	126⅛
No. 2 northern	122⅛	120⅛
No. 3 northern	109⅛	106⅛
No. 4 northern	100⅛	97⅛
No. 5 wheat	90⅛	87⅛
No. 6 wheat	80⅛	77⅛
Feed	70⅛	67⅛

Oils Push Higher In Boom Trading

VANCOUVER (CP) — Boom trading in oil stocks during the short Saturday session on the Vancouver Stock Exchange pushed leaders substantially higher. Sales volume of 265,165 shares was the highest for a half-session for some time.

Calgary and Edmonton jumped 31 cents at 3.00, Royalite 2.50 at 49.00, Okalta 21 at 1.60 and Vulcan 12 at 1.37. Home gained 23 at 1.55, Davies Petroleum 5½ at 49 and Dalhousie at 80, Firestone Petroleum at 26 and Hargal at 35 each added 5. Model at 45 and Commonwealth at 41½ were both up 4.

A.P. Consolidated gained 2½ at 35½. McDougall Segur Exploration turned over 17,000 shares to close up 2½ at 35 and Freehold, with a turnover of 11,500, finished fractionally higher at 8.

Viking Gold, with 63,000 shares sold, gained ⅛ at 1⅞. Premier, also active, gained 2 at 1.89 and Bralorne 5 at 7.85. Pioneer lost 10 at 3.05 and Kootenay Belle 5 at 95. Other senior golds were quiet and unchanged.

Base metals maked time with B.C. Nickel up 1 at 9½ and Reeves MacDonald 3 at 33. Noble Five firmed ¼ at 4 and Pend Oreille was unchanged at 1.75. Nicola eased a fraction at 5¼.

(By Mara, Bate & Co. Ltd.)

MINES—	Bid	Asked
Aztec	7	8
Big Missouri	37	38
B.C. Nickel	9-4	
Bralorne	785	800
Cariboo Gold	169	170
Congress	2	2-4
Dentonia	10	11
Fairview Amal.	4-4	4-6
Federal	1-4	--
Golconda	5	--
Gold Belt	26	30
Gold Mount	2-2	2-4
Grull Wihksne	7-4	--
Hedley Sterling	3-4	4
Home Gold	1-1	1-4
Island Mount	63	67
Kootenay Belle	95	100
Lucky Jim	2	2-3
Minto	3-4	3-6
Nicola	5-2	5-6
Noble Five	3-6	4-2
Pend Oreille	175	180
Pilot Gold	1-4	
Pioneer Gold	300	310
Porter Idaho	3	4
Premier Gold	180	190
Quesnelle Quartz	5-4	7
Relief Arlington	16	17
Reno Gold	65	
Reward	6-2	6-6
Sally	5	
Salmon Gold	7-4	8
Sheep Creek	90	95
Silbak Premier	185	200
Silvercrest	3-4	4
Taylor Bridge	4	
Vidette	9	11
Viking	1-7	2
Dunwell	5	6
Waverley	¾	1
Wellington	2	2-4
Wesko	9-4	10-4
Whitewater	5-6	6-4
Ymir Yankee Girl	22	25
OILS—		
Amalgamated	6-2	7
Anaconda	11	
A. P. Con.	35-4	36
British Dominion	15	25
C. and E.	300	305
Calmont	62	66
Commonwealth	41-4	43
Crow's Nest	4-2	5
Dalhousie Oil	80	90
Freehold	8	8-2
Hargal	32	35
Highwood Sarcee	18	19
Home Oil	155	157
Madison	9-4	9-6
Mar Jon	11-4	12
McDougall Segur	25	26
McLeod	30	35
Mill City	15	18
Mercury Oil	22	23
Merland	8	10
Model Oil	47	50
Monarch	23	23-4
Nordon	17	20
Okalta	160	163
Pacalta	14-6	15
Royalite	49	50
Spooner	20	25
United Oil	23-4	24
Vanalta	8-4	10
Vulcan	137	139
MISCELLANEOUS—		
Capital Estates	315	400
Coast Breweries	12-6	--
Inter. Coal nad Coke	21	--

LIVERPOOL

LIVERPOOL—Today's per-bushel wheat quotations, c.i.f. Liverpool, in Canadian funds at current sterling exchange rate, $4.99, as supplied by Broomhall. Shipment December:

	Today	Yest.
No. 3 Man. nor., Atlantic	138⅞	139½
No. 2 U.S. hard winters, Atlantic	118½	118½
U.S. white, Pacific	111½	111½
Russian, sample, afloat	110⅞	110⅞
Argentine, Rosafe, speculative offers (Jan.-Feb.)	124	124
Australian, new crop (Jan.)	116⅞	117⅞
Australian, new crop, prompt shipment	118½	119¼
Indian, Karachi, afloat	115⅝	115⅝

LONDON—Bar gold 139s 11½d, unchanged. (Sterling price equivalent to $34.93.)

LONDON—Bar silver 19 7/16d, off ⅛.

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Winnipeg Electric—Gross earnings for ten months to 31st October, 1937, amounted to $5,518,513, as compared with $5,404,777 for similar period of 1936. Net earnings were $2,258,633, compared with $2,280,584, a decrease of $21,951. Series "A" 5% bonds quoted at approximately $60.00.
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Logging Control Plan Submitted

Penalties of $5 an Acre for Failure to Burn Slash

The provincial government's new forestry control programme was presented to the British Columbia Legislature last night by Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Lands, in amendments to the Forest Act.

It contains four main points:

Power to demand complete burning of slash on logging operations once a year, with strict penalties if this is not carried out.

Power to order logging operators on crown grants to leave adequate seed trees so that logged over ground will be reseeded naturally.

An increase from 3 1-3 to 4 cents in the tax on forest land to increase the fire protection fund by $20,000 from the operators, matched by an extra $40,000 contribution from the provincial treasury.

Enlargement of the work at Green Timbers forest nursery to get seedlings ready for planting.

The new powers over slash burning form the major step in the plan. They apply specifically to the Vancouver forest district, mainly Vancouver Island, and provide that an operator once a year must burn brush and debris left from logging operations, and must fall dead trees left standing to remove fire hazards. The penalty for noncompliance is $5 per acre. The chief forester is given discretionary powers on disposing of the slash.

The new plan goes into effect January 1.

The section dealing with seed trees gives the government authority to make regulations for leaving such trees standing on lands that will not be suitable for agricultural uses after they are logged.

Several other amendments to the Forest Act were included in Mr. Gray's bill.

One wipes out a special relief measure under which timber licenses that have lapsed may be reinstated by order-in-council. After next March 31 all licenses must be kept paid up.

Another clause will prevent the private sale of timber on pulp licenses to saw-log operators. It will also permit the sale by the government of timber in pulp districts for the support of local industries.

ASSURANCE ON MINING LAWS

The public has a wrong idea entirely of proposed changes in B.C. mining laws, W. J. Asselstine, chairman of the Legislature's mining committee, declared today in regard to protests received here from prospectors.

"Press criticism," he said, "has led the public to believe that the date of expiration of a free miner's certificate, long established as midnight, May 31, is being changed to midnight, June 1. This is not so. The amendment provides for renewal of the certificate expiring at midnight May 31, on the following day, which is June 1, and legalizes a practice of long standing.

"It has also been intimated that the work of the resident engineers is to be abolished. This is not so. It is simply that the resident engineers are being placed under the Department of Mines Act instead of the Mineral Survey and Development Act. The set up is the same, and as a matter of fact there will be increased assistance from resident engineers in 1938.

"It is also suggested that a free miner, once having staked three claims in a mining division, and finding a better discovery, cannot stake it. Under Section 21 of the Mineral Act, which is being slightly amended, the free miner can file a notice of abandonment without cost, and be free to stake elsewhere in the mining division.

"Blanketing of large acreages in all mining divisions has long been a strong deterrent to real mining development and this is the reason for restricting the number of claims a man can stake."

A new product to absorb sound is a porous stone tile for lining walls and ceilings.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today

DECEMBER 4, 1912
(From The Times Files)

The Duchess Street fire hall will be completed and ready for use in a few days. The hall will cost more than was anticipated and with Oak Bay's contribution being a fixed amount, the city will have to make up the difference.

The first ball to be held in the beautiful new ballroom at the Empress Hotel will be given by the Native Sons of British Columbia, Post 1.

A. J. England, membership secretary of the local Y.M.C.A., stated this morning that after many weeks of striving the membership of the association has passed the thousand mark.

All is in readiness for the annual police ball tonight in the main building at the Exhibition grounds. All the tickets have been sold, with many more in demand. The attendance is expected to be in the neighborhood of 1,500.

A bottle has been picked up on the west coast of Iceland, containing a note with the words: "I am one of the men that were wrecked on the Titanic.—Harry Wilson."

The Japanese liner Yokohama, Capt. Noda, will arrive here Thursday morning. After discharging 1,000 tons of cargo she will proceed to Seattle.

Speed Urged On Big Bend Road

Province Asked to Co-operate in Improving Trans-Canada Route

Launching a drive to get the Big Bend Highway and its feeder roads into shape for tourist traffic from the San Francisco fair in 1939, a delegation of the newly-formed B.C. Trans-Canada Highway Association met the provincial government yesterday.

The group was headed by Dr. A. H. Bayne of Kamloops and included J. A. Abrahamson of Revelstoke, C. C. Barker of Salmon Arm and W. F. Hansford of Ashcroft, with R. H. Carson, member for Kamloops, and Harry Johnston, member for Revelstoke.

The delegation said they were hopeful the Dominion Government would complete the Big Bend, which is the final link in the B.C. section of the Trans-Canada Highway, by 1939. To round out the route in first-class shape they urged the province to improve the roads leading to it. On the eastern end there is a 17-mile stretch between Leanchoil, the gateway to Yoho Park and Golden. On the western end about 40 miles of road between Revelstoke and Kamloops needs improving.

This link, they stressed, would be an important thing for the tourist traffic of all British Columbia. Not only would it be a great attraction for motorists coming north from the San Francisco fair, but it would be an outlet into British Columbia for the huge tourist traffic from Banff.

INTEREST CUT FOR MERRITT

The interest rate on bonds of the city of Merritt will be reduced to 4 per cent for the next five years under a bill introduced in the Legislature Thursday by Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Municipal Affairs.

The measure is designed to relieve the municipality which is unable to meet all its interest payments. A majority of the bondholders have agreed to the plan, the bill states.

The 4 per cent interest payments will be made in 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941 and 1942. After that payment of the regular interest will be resumed.

Approximately $125,000 of debt, bearing interest at 5½ per cent and 6 per cent is affected by the measure.

Concert Series Artists Named

Charles Gorin, Eugene List and Benno Rabinoff to Appear Here

The Community Concert Association's campaign closed with a membership, which enabled the committee to select three artists for the season beginning in January and the association is thus assured of three concerts by three brilliant artists.

The first artist on the list is

CHARLES GORIN

Charles Igor Gorin, baritone, who will appear here about the middle of January. Gorin was born in the Ukraine and received his musical education in Vienna. At the Czechoslovakian State Opera he had to his credit 30 operatic roles, besides an extensive concert repertoire. Gorin sings in six languages, and has appeared with great success in many European and American cities.

In February, the members of the association will hear Eugene List, one of the best of the younger generation of pianists, and of whom The Montreal Gazette says in part: "His Beethoven Concerto (played with the Montreal Symphony) was a thing of beauty. He shows an astonishing understanding of the essential grandeur of the Beethoven idiom—an extraordinarily brilliant pianist." List has also played with the New York Philharmonic Symphony and the Philadelphia orchestra, besides doing a great deal of concert work.

Benno Rabinoff, the third artist of the series, made his debut in New York several years ago, when his teacher, Leopold Auer, conducted the New York Philharmonic when Rabinoff was the solo artist. Rabinoff has also appeared as guest artist with the Boston and Chicago orchestras. In addition to playing in concerts extensively on this continent Rabinoff has toured widely in Europe, giving recitals in London, Paris, Vienna, Budapest and in many cities in Germany, Italy and Switzerland. Benno Rabinoff will be heard here in April. Members are reminded their season membership cards will be mailed to them as soon as they are sent to the committee and also that the cards are transferable.

Power Given to Curb Overtime

Hours of Work Act amended to Check Excessive Working of Employees

The Legislature yesterday approved a bill giving the labor department greater power to get prosecutions where employees are worked overtime against the regulations.

It is an amendment to the Hours of Work Act, providing that when an employee is found working on a premises he shall be deemed to be employed.

"This," said Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, "will enable us to deal with such cases as one we had recently where we checked a man working an hour and a half overtime for a week. In court the employer simply said he did not know the man was working and our case collapsed."

Conservatives feared the regulation might hurt men who dropped into their places of employment for a short time after hours but were assured by the minister discretion would be used in the administration.

Harold Winch, C.C.F., applauded the idea, saying he knew of a case where three employees were worked an hour overtime every night for two years.

Completion of the bill was stood over until a proposed amendment by Harold Winch can be discussed. It provides that when a person is working a split shift there should not be more than 12 hours between the start of his work and the end.

The great planet Jupiter is now about 500 million miles away from the earth.

No Kindergarten Says the Premier

Proper Time and Proper Place For Everything, He Tells Legislature

"We shouldn't be in a position where we're running a kindergarten," said Premier Pattullo in the Legislature yesterday when asking Opposition members to remain with the point under discussion and not wander far afield.

The vote for the salary and office expenses of the Minister of Finance was under discussion at the time.

"Are we going to have these long discussions over the vote for every minister's salary?" the Premier asked. "There are a hundred and one other ways of finding out policy, and we will be only too glad to tell you."

R. L. Maitland, Conservative, Vancouver-Point Grey, arose hurriedly to tell the Premier that the Opposition, under him had always asked for plenty of information and had received it.

"It is no kindergarten practice to ask for details of public business," he said.

J. A. Paton, Conservative, Vancouver-Point Grey, made several attempts, while the Finance Minister's vote was under discussion, to talk on municipal problems. Each time he was ruled out of order by the chairman. Again the Premier rose to tell Mr. Paton there was a proper time and a proper place to discuss municipal problems.

Railway Rates Are Discussed

Telford Wants P.G.E. Rates Lower as Argument For General Equalization

If freight rates on the Pacific Great Eastern Railway were brought down, British Columbia would better be able to argue before the Railway Board of Canada for equalization of freight rates to this province, Dr. J. Lyle Telford, C.C.F., Vancouver East, said before the railways committee of the Legislature yesterday.

The meeting was called to discuss tariffs of the government-owned road and Robert Wilson, general manager; L. T. Sargent, head of the tariff department, and J. R. Drage, traveling auditor, attended from Vancouver.

Dr. Telford based his argument on a car of grain that he said had been moved from East Lillooet to Vancouver. It cost nine times more to move it that distance than from Calgary to Victoria, he said.

G. W. Murray, Liberal, Lillooet, said Dr. Telford was speaking of a phantom commodity, a phantom station and a phantom rate, for no grain was ever moved and there was now no such place as East Lillooet.

Dr. Telford persisted, however, the one car that had been moved gave the Railway Board an argument to say rates on the P.G.E. were out of line with other roads.

"If we can have these rates brought down we will have a most marvelous argument," he said.

Because of present freight rates to British Columbia, the people of this province were losing $1,300,000 a year, Dr. Telford said. Even if the P.G.E. took a loss, it was worth while for the people, he said.

Clam Bed Lease Is Objected To

Objection to a lease of clam beds to a private individual, who was selling the rights to dig there, was brought before the fisheries committee of the Legislature on Friday by Macgregor Macintosh, Conservative, the Islands.

Mr. Macintosh told of a resident of Gabriola Island who had been given a 25-year lease, for $25 a year, to foreshore rights, on which were located clam beds.

For years, he said, those clam beds had been public property and many people had dug there and earned a little money by selling the clams to the canneries. In 1930 the bed was closed to give the clams a chance and a few years later the present lease was given.

Now the lessee was charging people to dig clams there.

"It's public domain and this fearful graft might go on for 25 years," Mr. Macintosh said.

Dr. J. J. Gillis, chairman, promised to give the matter his consideration.

In Riverside, Illinois, no theatre or moving picture house can be built without providing 200 feet of parking space for every six seats in the building.

C.C.F. ALONE IN DIVISION

Conservatives Join Government to Vote Down Cameron's Proposal

Legislation introduced by Colin Cameron, C.C.F., Comox, whereby a road leading from one section to another of a company town should be deemed a public thoroughfare, to permit residents to gather to hear speeches, was defeated in the House yesterday when Conservatives joined the government against the seven C.C.F. members.

Dr. F. P. Patterson, Leader of the Opposition; Thomas Uphill, Labor, Fernie, who spoke in favor of the act; R. W. Bruhn, Independent, Salmon Arm; Hon. Gordon Wismer and Mrs. Paul Smith were not in the House when the vote was taken.

In opening discussion on the bill, Premier Pattullo said the Company Towns Act covered the same ground as the proposed act. If the Comox member's act came into being there would be nothing but trouble from one end of the province to the other, he said. It would be an invasion of private rights, he said, and a town of 25 men might be declared a settlement.

REFUSED PERMISSION

Harold Winch, C.C.F., Vancouver East, told of an experience he had had in the spring of 1936 at Youbou, on Vancouver Island. He said he had been stopped by seven Provincial Police on a public highway. The police told him it was a private road, although Department of Public Works signs pointed to the contrary. He held a conference with Ross Pendleton, who refused him permission to address a meeting.

Unless such an act was brought into being thousands of workers would be kept in a state of virtual peonage and would live at the mercy of their employers, E. E. Winch, C.C.F., Burnaby, said. It would be better to give workers statutory rights rather than have them use the rights they could enforce by the strength of their organization.

Dr. J. Lyle Telford, C.C.F., Vancouver East, said he had been refused permission to hold a meeting at Cariboo Gold Quartz. He felt men should not live in fear and trepidation regarding their jobs because they attended a political meeting.

"When a man knows he might lose his job he has to give consideration to the whims and fancies of his boss," Dr. Telford said.

H. G. T. Perry, Liberal, Fort George, said a man should have a right to present his views, whether he be Anarchist, Communist or Tory. Herbert Anscomb, Conservative, Victoria, objected to being classed with Anarchists and Communists.

Mr. Perry said, however, he was unable to see anything in Mr. Cameron's act that would give a man a right to enter a community and talk. The act under discussion, he said, would not have the slightest effect in eradicating the present injustice.

Hon. G. S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, said he quite understood problems that arose, making workmen think conditions were unfair. He thought amendments to the Company Towns Act would cover the subject. The matter should be dealt with, and would be, in another way.

Mrs. Steeves said there were places in North Vancouver where she was unable to hold meetings, and Thomas Uphill insisted corporations had the say in what went on in closed towns.

NEW PRESIDENT OF ARCHITECTS

Vancouver Man Succeeds H. Whittaker as Head of B.C. Institute

W. F. Gardiner, of Vancouver, was elected president of the Architectural Institute of British Columbia at the annual meeting in the Georgia Hotel, Vancouver, Wednesday. He succeeds Henry Whittaker, provincial architect.

Mr. Whittaker was re-elected to the executive, along with Mr. Gardiner and George Nairne of Vancouver.

Next year's meeting will be held in Victoria, it was announced.

J. C. M. Keith, Victoria, Joseph Bowman and Major Fowler of Vancouver, who have retired from active work in the profession, were elected honorary life members of the institute.

Guest speaker at the meeting was H. J. Pendray of Victoria, who showed pictures of the Coronation and his tour through South America and Africa. W. Harkness of Victoria gave an exhibition of conjuring.

Market Appeal May Go Over

Hearing of the appeal on British Columbia's marketing act by the Privy Council may go over to the spring session of the high court, it is understood at the Legislative Buildings. Previously the case was expected to go on this month.

It was also learned today that the government plans to submit an amendment to the act to the Legislature, which would provide that if one section is declared ultra vires the rest of the law will remain in force. This is designed to prevent the act being thrown out entirely if one or two clauses are ruled out on technical wording.

NURSES BILL IS WITHDRAWN

But Government Promises Winch Action on Hospital Labor Conditions

E. E. Winch, C.C.F., Burnaby, in the Legislature yesterday withdrew a bill to establish hours of work and labor conditions for nurses in hospitals after Hon. G. M. Weir, Provincial Secretary, had assured him that the problem was being handled by the government.

"It should really come under the Board of Industrial Relations, not in the Hospital Act," Dr. Weir said.

Mr. Winch said as long as he could be sure that it would be given immediate attention he would consent to withdrawal of the measure.

Hon. G. S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, said the government was very sympathetic with the conditions of nurses. The Labor Department had been studying it for two years and improvements had been made in some hospitals.

Canadian Club To Hear Cameraman

T. G. Jaycocks, staff photographer of The Toronto Saturday night, will address the members of the Canadian Club at a dinner at the Empress Hotel Tuesday evening at 6.30. His subject will be "Camera Conversation." The speaker will show a number of pictures and slides of historically famous places in England.

NEW DEAL FOR MUNICIPALITY

R. R. F. Sewell Says Social Service Taxation Should Be Chang

R. R. F. Sewell, Saanich municipal clerk, called for a "new deal" for municipalities in addressing a luncheon meeting of the Real Estate Board in Spencer's dining-room yesterday.

Provincial grants had been cut down and yet municipal responsibilities had increased during the last few years, he said, with the result that land taxes had to be raised.

"The municipal government is the only government which tells you what you have to pay in taxes," Mr. Sewell said. "So the next time you get a tax bill for $25 just think of the hundreds of dollars you paid to the provincial government without knowing it."

"The municipal government was much closer to the people than any other government and in this Mr. Sewell felt the municipal government should be placed before the Provincial and Dominion Governments instead of after them.

About one-third of the municipal income went to education, Mr. Sewell said.

"There is a great deal of interest in the election of mayor and aldermen, but very few people take any notice of the school board," Mr. Sewell said. "I think there should be a much greater public interest in the election of this important body."

Mr. Sewell could see no relationship between taxation of land and education. He felt that there should be a better method of levying taxation for all social services.

In Esquimalt municipality he said the taxable value of the land and improvements was just over $2,500,000. Property exempt from taxes had a value of $9,000,000.

Frank Burton, chairman of the board, presided.

W. H. Davies, secretary of the Landsberg Old Men's Fund, visited the Aged Men's Home on Wednesday, accompanied by James H. Beatty, making the monthly donation to nonpensioners. Chocolate bars were distributed from the fund, and cigars, a gift from E. A. Morris Ltd., through Joe North.

Oak Bay Council In Speed Record

The Oak Bay Council set something of a record for swift action Thursday afternoon. It disposed of a public hearing and put an amended by-law through a special meeting, all within five minutes.

The amendments were to the municipal zoning by-law to simplify its application and to clear up a number of technicalities. Under the Municipal Act a public hearing must be held before any change can be made in the zoning rules.

No ratepayer came forward with any complaint, so the council turned from a public hearing into a regular session in short order, and gave final reading to the amended by-law.

CHANGE BOARD IN VANCOUVER

Bill to Alter Police Commission Is Passed By House

The Vancouver bill went through the Legislature yesterday and was given third reading.

Besides granting Vancouver its long-standing request for the right to tax occupiers of crown lands as if they were the owners, the measure provides for periodical inspection of motor vehicles, sets up taxes ranging from $30 to $85 a year on beer parlors, sets a 50-cent license fee for bicycles and provides for the use of parking meters on the Vancouver streets.

A further clause provides for a change in the Vancouver police commission, consequent upon Judge J. N. Ellis, desire not to serve. Under the change the government will choose one county court judge and one deputy magistrate to act with the mayor as the commission. This removes Magistrate H. S. Wood from the board. It is a similar set-up to the existing commission, but will mean a change in personnel.

In some European cities, when an air raid rehearsal is staged, any one who fails to take cover or follow other instructions for safety is punished; and realism is carried out to the extent of daubing red paint on "casualties," removed by ambulances.

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JAMAICA

Close, 1.10 p.m., December 3, 8.

HONOLULU

Close, 11.15 p.m., December 4, 6, 8, 11, 15, 18, 20, 29, January 1, 5, 8, 11, 12.

Close, 4 p.m., December 22, Ms. Aorangi.

Close, 4 p.m., December 25, Ss. Empress of Japan

CHINA AND JAPAN

Close, 4 p.m., December 4, President Grant; due Yokohama December 17, Shanghai December 21, Hongkong December 24.

Close, 4 p.m., December 11, Empress of Russia; due Yokohama December 23, Shanghai December 27, Hongkong, December 30.

Close, 4 p.m., December 18, President Jackson; due Yokohama December 31, Shanghai January 4, Hongkong January 7.

**Close, 4 p.m., December 23, Empress of Japan; due Yokohama January 8, Shanghai January 11, Hongkong January 14.

Close, 4 p.m., January 1, President Jefferson; due Yokohama January 14, Shanghai January 18, Hongkong January 21.

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YUKON AND ATLIN

Close, 1 p.m., December 14, 28, via Vancouver.

Close, 4 p.m., December 10, 17, 24, 31, January 7, via Seattle.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

Close, 11.15 p.m., December 4, Mariposa via San Francisco; due Auckland December 24, Sydney December 27.

Close, 4 p.m., December 22, Aorangi; due Auckland January 10, Sydney January 15.

At World Ports

Arrivals—New York, Dec. 3, President Hayes, from world cruise; Gerolstein, Antwerp; Hamburg, Dec. 3, Deutschland, New York; Bergen, Dec. 2, Bergensfjord, New York; Bremen, Dec. 3, Europa, New York; Cristobal, Dec. 3, Pennsylvania, New York; Rotterdam, Dec. 1, Ilsenstein, New York; Rotterdam, Dec. 1, Seattle, from San Francisco; Hull, Dec. 2, Brasil, Portland, Ore.; Yokohama, Dec. 1, Hikawa Maru, Seattle; Dublin, Dec. 1, Tanana, Seattle; Gibraltar, Nov. 26, Wisconsin, San Francisco; New York, Dec. 3, President Hayes, world cruise; Baltimore, Dec. 3, Carolinian, Los Angeles.

Sailed—New York, Dec. 3, American Trader, for London; Rio de Janeiro, Dec. 2, Pan America, New York via Trinidad; Havre, Dec. 1, City of Norfolk, Baltimore; Port Said, Nov. 30, Sembilan, Vancouver; Yokohama, Nov. 30, Yai Yin, Los Angeles; Takaoka Maru, San Francisco; Ugo Maru, Los Angeles; New York, Dec. 3, Pacific, Los Angeles via Newport, R.I.; Andrea F. Luckenbach, Los Angeles; Lochdee, Vancouver.

Panama Canal, Dec. 3 (AP)—Passed east: Amerikaland (Swed.), Cruz Grande for Baltimore; Negira, Los Angeles for New York.

Passed west: Pennsylvania, New York for Los Angeles; Julia Luckenbach, New York for Los Angeles; Oklahoman, New York for Los Angeles; Santa Rita, New York for Buena Ventura.

Arrived Colon: Veragua, New York; San Benito (Pan.), New York

Christmas Mails From Victoria

Australia and New Zealand—December 4, due Auckland December 24, due Sydney December 27.

Hongkong and China—December 4, due Hongkong December 24.

Japan—December 4, due Yokohama December 17; December 11, due Yokohama December 23.

Honolulu—December 11, due Honolulu December 21.

Great Britain and Ireland — December 5, due Glasgow December 17; December 9, due Southampton December 22; December 9 (via New York), due Southampton December 20.

Europe generally — December 5, due Glasgow December 17; December 9, due Cherbourg December 20.

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Director of Marine Services On Visit

Robert K. Smith Entertained at Luncheon on Ss. Salvage King

To confer with shipping interests relative to proposed new aids to navigation on the British Columbia coast, Robert K. Smith, director of marine services at Ottawa, is in Victoria today.

Mr. Smith reached the city last night from Port Alberni in company with Col. A. W. R. Wilby, agent here for the Department of Transport.

Whatever recommendations are made by Mr. Smith will have to be considered by the Lighthouse Board before new work is undertaken.

At 1 this afternoon a luncheon party was given by A. C. Burdick, president of the Pacific Salvage Company, aboard the Ss. Salvage King, in honor of Mr. Smith. Among those present were Captain Kerr, director of nautical services; Col. Wilby, Harold Elworthy, Norman A. Yarrow, Duncan MacBride, Mr. Hamell, Harry Barnett, R. W. Mayhew, M.P.-elect for Victoria; Captain Claxton, chief of B.C. pilotage; Captain Lindsay, examiner of masters and mates; H. F. Crowe and Fred McGregor.

FIRST VISIT HERE

Mr. Smith is visiting Vancouver Island for the first time since the department was reorganized.

Formerly under the department of marine, meteorological and radio services are now administered by the air services division of the Department of Transport, along with civil aviation control.

In the marine services division there is considerable floating equipment operated, and facilities of the national harbor board also come under the supervision of this department, as well as a number of agencies, pilotage services, life-saving stations, and aids to an extremely important function of the marine services, 12,000 individual establishments are maintained to protect 4,000 miles of sea coast, lake and river navigation. Lighthouses, buoys and beacons of various types are included, operated at an annual cost of $2,000,000.

Regulation of shipping, steamship inspection services, certification of masters and mates are services coming under the direction of the marine services branch. All these duties have a direct relation to the safety and efficiency of Canadian shipping services.

Not only inspection of hulls, boilers, machinery and life-saving, fire-fighting equipment is carried out for the protection of passengers and crews, but life-saving stations, such as the one at Banfield on the west coast of Vancouver Island, are maintained by the department.

Over 3,000 people are employed by the department.

Highway Trains Declared Menace

TORONTO (CP)—Introduction of large motor vehicles and trailers has contributed to the mounting record of highway accidents, the affiliated railwaymen's organizations of Ontario said in a brief filed with the Chevrier Royal Transport Commission.

The brief charged "these huge trains speeding along the highways constitute a distinct menace" and urged more rigid regulation of the length, width and height of transport vehicles.

The organization also advocated that transport vehicles beyond a certain capacity should be manned by at least two men; that all vehicles should meet safety requirements demanded by a board of experts on safe driving and that the shape of transports should be redesigned to give private motorists a better view of the highway.

Germany Market For Canadian Eels

QUEBEC (CP) — Along the marshy shores of St. Lawrence River fishermen have stored away their equipment and Christmas shipments of eels are en route to Germany and New York.

"It was a fair season," fishermen said, and a "fair season" means about $40,000 to the small fishermen who work along the marshes bordering the Island of Orleans, just below Quebec City.

Germany's increasing appetite for rich eel meat absorbed a slump in the demand resulting from what was said to be a sudden change in the taste of New York Italians. But now Germany has come back into the market, and it was estimated she absorbed about 75 per cent of this year's 400,000-pound catch.

R.C.N.V.R. Ranks Are Augmented

QUEBEC (CP)—Ranks of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve have been augmented by 116 men and 17 officers this year, bringing the total strength up to 1,095 men and 97 officers, Commander E. R. Mainguy, R.N.R., of Ottawa, director of naval reserves, Department of National Defence, said today.

Around the Docks

THREE FROM MONTREAL

Three steamers are due in Victoria this month in the intercoastal service from Montreal, it was announced here today.

The trio of freighters, the Levernbank, Hazelside and Corabella, will clean up the eastern Canadian freight for British Columbia this year before the closing of the St. Lawrence to deepsea traffic for the winter.

C. W. Tourtellotte, superintendent of the Canadian National docks at Ogden Point, expects the Levernbank December 6, the Hazelside December 16 and the Corabella on Christmas Eve.

EXPORTS TO AUSTRALIA

Exports of British Columbia logs and lumber to Australia continue to maintain a high level as evidenced by the steady number of fixtures booked to load for this range.

Three new charters for December positions are announced by B.C. Shipping Agencies Limited.

British steamer Loch Dee is scheduled to load at Vancouver December 15 for Sydney, Australia. She will be followed five days later by Ss. Clumberhall, destined for Melbourne while British Ss. Helmspey is slated to start in B.C. waters about December 29 to load for Sydney.

NEBRASKA SHIFTS

British Ms. Nebraska, Royal Mail-Holland America Line reefer carrier, shifted to New Westminster Thursday morning to complete.

She is taking out a total of 3,000 tons general from B.C. ports. Shipments include canned salmon frozen fish, apples and metal. She is scheduled to leave New Westminster today for Liverpool, Southampton, London and Rotterdam. Next vessel in this service, Ms. Delftdyk, is due December 11.

DUE FOR LUMBER

British freighters Ettrickbank, Embassage and Geddington Court are listed for loading at the Canadian National docks.

Embassage is owned by the Hall Bros. Steamship Company Limited of Newcastle-on-Tyne, owners of the Caduceus, which will get away tomorrow for Vancouver and New Westminster after taking 600,000 feet here.

British Monarch, which loaded 575,000 feet here, cleared about noon for Union Bay to load bunker coal.

FOUR NEW FIXTURES

Four new fixtures are announced by Anglo-Canadian Shipping Company to lift heavy cargoes at B.C. ports for the United Kingdom.

First of the fixtures is Ss. Phyllis Soto, which passed quarantine here yesterday for Woodfibre to load pulp. She will load lumber at New Westminster and will complete at Port Alberni, sailing from the island port late next week for Manchester. Before coming to B.C. Ss. Phyllis Soto loaded a parcel of wheat on Puget Sound.

British Ss. Lindenhall, inbound from United Kingdom, is scheduled to reach here December 10 to lift lumber and general at Vancouver for delivery at Liverpool, she will be followed a day later by Ss. Northleigh to load a similar cargo for London. Ss. Redsea is slated to arrive December 17 to load for London.

GUADELOUPE DUE

French Line fruitship, Ms. Guadeloupe will arrive in Vancouver on her maiden voyage Monday morning.

Recently delivered by the Eriksberg yards in Gottenburg, Sweden, the Ms. Guadeloupe has the following specifications: 322.4 feet length, 50.3 feet beam and 23.1 depth.

Her capacity of 180,000 cubic feet is entirely refrigerated and fitted with the most up-to-date equipment for the carriage of fresh fruit.

GRANT AT OGDEN POINT

The heavily-laden American Mail liner President Grant, Capt. H. B. Clark, will tie up at the Canadian National docks at Ogden Point when she arrives from Seattle at 4 this afternoon, outbound for the Far East.

The President Grant has a 9,000-ton cargo stowed in her holds and she is reported to be drawing more than 30 feet of water.

The liner has 12 cabin passengers aboard as follows: H. U. Pearce, vice-president of the Tokio Electric Company, wife and son; Commander Leonard W. Linsky, U.S.N., en route to Manila; Miss Yvonne Giroux of New York City, on her way to Manila; Daniel Kellam, New York business man; E. E. Probstfield, an importer of Hongkong, and wife; Ivan Rollins of the Standard Oil Company in Hongkong, and wife; Mariano A. Albert, bound for Manila, and George F. Richardson, an attorney of Shanghai.

It is expected the Grant will get away for sea about 6 o'clock

Wharf Agent

A. T. WILLOUGHBY,

who has been made wharf agent for the Canadian Pacific Railway at Vancouver, succeeding the late A. M. Innes. A Londoner born, Willoughby went to sea before the mast at the age of 17, stuck it out until he was 24, and was able to get his master's ticket without benefit of navigation school. He first went to Vancouver in 1911 to operate Pier H for C. Gardner Johnson Ltd. When the Canadian Pacific bought this pier 17 years ago he transferred to the railway's employ and rose steadily as checker, foreman general foreman and finally wharf agent.

Ship Activity Shows Decline

British Columbia Secured Bulk of November Lumber Charters

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)) — World shipping activity declined somewhat in November, and Pacific Coast shipping absorbed its full share of the recession, the charter report of the General Steamship Company showed today.

Ocean freight rates came down somewhat further from the high levels of the summer, and charterers were inclined to stay out of the market, awaiting stabilization.

The small amount of chartering done was accomplished at reduced rates. There were 39 vessels chartered for coast trade, compared with 67 in October, 48 in September and 17 in November last year. A year ago the Pacific Coast was locked in the maritime strike.

The Pacific Coast lack of shipping business was chiefly attributable to curtailment of trans-Pacific trade on account of the China war.

Of the 39 vessels chartered, 26 were in the lumber traffic, and 19 of these were booked for loading at British Columbia ports. Most of the British Columbia shipments will go to the United Kingdom, with Australia taking the rest.

Pilots' Lookout

Ss. President Grant due Canadian National docks from Seattle 4 p.m., to sail for Orient 6 p.m.

Ss. King John passed out to sea from Vancouver, 12.30 p.m.

Ss. British Monarch left Canadian National docks for Union Bay about 1 p.m.

Ms. Arna in quarantine for Vancouver 1.30 p.m.

Ss. Anglo-African left Vancouver for Sydney, Australia, 8 a.m.

Ships "Adopted" By British Schools

Newcastle Students Will Learn of Victoria From Freighter Loading Here

When Capt. John Moore, master of the British freighter Caduceus, now loading lumber at the Canadian National docks, returns to England he will carry with him complete data covering the historical background of Victoria and Vancouver Island, which will be studied in British schools.

Historical data was supplied to the Welsh shipmaster by Major J. Gordon Smith of the Provincial Department of Information, and tourist and publicity information by George I. Warren, publicity commissioner.

The Caduceus is the "adopted" ship of the Middle Street Central and Commercial School of Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, and the information collected by Capt. Moore, who is making his first visit to Victoria, will be used for the classroom instruction of the Newcastle students.

The idea of the "adoption" by English elementary and secondary schools of vessels in the British Mercantile Marine originated two years ago and resulted in the formation of the British Ship Adoption Society with headquarters in London.

The society was formed to encourage the association of schools and colleges with ships, their captains and officers, and in this way to promote interest and knowledge of countries and overseas trade, and bring some realization to British students of the work of the merchant service.

Full co-operation has been given by British steamship owners, and, according to Capt. Moore of the Caduceus, the majority of ships in the merchant service have been adopted by schools.

The co-operation of the shipmasters and officers is purely voluntary.

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

When the scheme was launched the captains at first corresponded with the schools, the teachers supervising the letters and questions of the students, but after a time crew members also joined in the exchange of letters. In this manner a chain of friendship grew, which became very real and personal; the children learning much of seafaring life, duties on board ship, vagaries of wind and currents, and in fact all conditions governing trade and the movement of ships.

The captains, where possible, take the opportunity to link up historical associations with places visited by their ships, and this information is forwarded to the "adoption" school through the society.

In this way the students of the British schools are afforded an excellent opportunity of learning in an interesting manner, and only of the ships which supply the homeland with foodstuffs, but also of the distant countries of the Empire.

Hindus of India consider the cow a sacred animal that must be saved even when it is old and relatively useless.

Spoken By Wireless

December 3, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

TACOMA CITY, for Vancouver, via Victoria, 446 miles from Race Rocks.

CLUMBERHALL, Estevan for orders, 3,658 miles from Estevan.

HARBOROUGH, Vancouver for Sydney, N.S.W., 4,663 miles from Vancouver.

CAPE SCOTT, weatherbound at Esperanza.

RUAHINE, Auckland, N.Z., for Balboa, 800 miles from Auckland.

December 4, 12 noon.—Weather:

Estevan—Rain; southeast, light; 30.34; 49; moderate swell

Pachena—Cloudy; southeast, light; 30.34; 46; light swell.

Swiftsure—Overcast; east, fresh; 30.44; 49; light southwesterly swell.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; east, strong; 30.38; 44; sea rough.

AKLAVIK IS FLIGHT BASE

NEW YORK (AP)—Sir Hubert Wilkins, heading an Explorers Club expedition to search for the Russian Arctic fliers, reported by radio yesterday he had set up his base camp at Aklavik.

Aklavik in Canada's Northwest Territories, 100 miles inland from the Polar Sea and close to the route planned by the Russian trans-Polar fliers when they disappeared last August on an attempted non-stop flight from Moscow to the United States.

It was Wilkin's' first radio contact. He messaged the Explorers Club: "Greetings. Will take three or four more days to calibrate radio station. Then will begin search."

(Mihail Vodopyanoff, Russian flier, returned to Moscow yesterday from a fruitless Polar search and said the lost fliers had been given up for dead.)

Club officials said that during each of the coming three months —the "Arctic night" when the sun never shows — the aerial search could be conducted only during the seven days the moon approaches, reaches and passes its full. At that time the illumination approaches daylight.

C.I.O. Organizing Lakes Shipping

CLEVELAND (AP)—The first Great Lakes conference of the National Maritime Union, Committee for Industrial Organization affiliate, announced yesterday an organization campaign to be carried into every section of United States Great Lakes shipping this winter.

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Australia Air Route Delay

CANBERRA, Australia—(CP.-Reuters)—The flying-boat service, originally scheduled to start early in January between England and Australia, has struck a temporary snag. Its inauguration may be delayed until next summer.

Prime Minister Joseph Lyons attributed the postponement to uncontrollable circumstances.

Final views of the British government regarding the nature and extent of the ground organization for the service, he said, had not been received until November 15. As a result the Australian government had found it inadvisable to start construction work on bases at Karumba and Grooteeylandt during the approaching season.

Calgary to Get Air Force Unit

CALGARY (CP) — Establishment of a permanent Royal Canadian Air Force unit here was forecast by Defence Minister Ian Mackenzie in an interview.

"It is our hope to establish a permanent unit of the R.C.A.F. in Calgary as soon as it is possible to do so, although I cannot say when that will be," he said.

Dr. G. Marshall Comes to Coast

VANCOUVER — Dr. George Marshall, Bishop of Canada and the eastern United States of the Reformed Episcopal Church, arrived in Vancouver over Canadian National Railways this morning in the course of a tour across Canada.

INCREASE IN RAIL FARES

Western U.S. Railroads Benefit By Interstate Commerce Ruling

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Interstate Commerce Commission approved yesterday a $2,500,000 passenger fare increase for Western United States railroads.

The increase will become effective in 10 days.

The principal boost is in basic Pullman car fares, which will be raised from 2 cents per mile to 2¼ cents per mile.

The new rates will mean increases in transcontinental fares since travel costs between New York and San Francisco, for instance, depend in part on the western rates.

Principal among the railroads effected by the increase are Union Pacific, Northern Pacific, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie; Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific; Chicago and Northwestern, Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway; the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe; the Missouri Pacific, Southern Pacific, Denver and Rio Grande and the Great Northern.

RAINBOW SEA CADETS

Parades at the Drill Hall December 7 and December 10 classes as detailed.

Duties for week ending December 11: Officer of the watch, W. O. Clarke; duty watch, Red Division; duty bugler, Cdt. J. Watkins; duty quartermaster, December 7, Cdt. R. Burkmar; December 10, Cdt. J. Hudson.

Cdt. P. Roberts has been granted leave from November 30, 1937 till December 14, 1937.

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Washington, D.C.	* 120.30	104.90	88.85
Toronto, Ont.	* 97.35	90.40	73.75
Montreal, Que.	* 111.10	106.40	89.75
Halifax, N. S.	* 145.70	136.50	119.85
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New Gold Rush Spotlights Up-island

Zeballos Discoveries Draw Fortune Seekers to West Coast

By GEORGE E. WINKLER

THE YEAR before Captain Vancouver found the entrance to the Strait of Juan de Fuca in 1792 two Spanish ships of war under the command of Captain Alexandro Malaspina explored Nootka Sound and its northern outlet to the Pacific, Esperanza Inlet. Captain Malaspina was an Italian seaman in the service of Spain.

The two ships he commanded were the Descubierta and the Atrevida, sloops with only one tier of guns, known as corvettes.

One of Captain Malaspina's lieutenants was Ciriaco Zeballos (or Cevallos) and after him were named the harbor and river around which centres the latest gold mining excitement in British Columbia.

Except for the presence of the few West Coast Indians that formerly made headquarters there, Zeballos, for nearly two and a half centuries has been little more than a name on the map. It was finally abandoned by the natives as a place of residence. Evidences of their occupancy may be seen in some decrepit cabins, rotting deadfalls, set for black bear, and an occasional human leg bone or skull where a body had been placed in a cedar coffin under the protection of overhanging rocks.

That they penetrated the interior some distance is shown by cat-faced cedars at an elevation of 2,000 feet above sea level, between Spud and Gold Creeks.

Late in the last century placer miners tested the river gravels for gold, and it appears that these were not all white men. A stoneware jar, such as are used by the Chinese for sam suey, was found a few years ago buried in the river sands.

Early in this century cruisers located the limited, but fine stand of timber that extends for some miles along the river valley.

CLIMATE, FLORA AND FAUNA

The climate is not attractive. During April, May and June of this year 94 inches of rain fell, and the average annual precipitation must be well over 200 inches.

As might be expected, the vegetation is in keeping with this unusually heavy rainfall. Under the dense forest of hemlock, fir spruce and cedar there is a second smaller forest of shrubs, such as huckleberries, salal, salmonberries and devil's club. Ferns, mosses and lichens grow in great profusion. Flowers are not so noticeable, but in certain favored spots a beautiful pink erythronium is common.

Animals are not now plentiful. a few black bear are seen, but in the deep forest one can travel all day without seeing any animal but the red squirrel, which by the way, is more brown than red, plumper, and less noisy than the red squirrel of the mainland.

Deer are very scarce. They are said to have been driven out some years ago by the cougars. Mink and marten have been largely trapped out. One wolverine was killed recently by a resourceful youth who chased it up a tree, tied his sweater around the trunk, and ran to the beach for a gun.

Elk at one time must have frequented the valley as there is a magnificent set of antlers on view in front of Major George Nicholson's home on the beach and other elk horns have been found up Spud Creek.

Birds are scarce in the heavy timber. An odd blue grouse is found, the woodpecker, chickadee, the ubiquitous camp robber (Canada Jay), and his "roughneck" cousin, the Blue Jay. The only song bird noted was the unassuming little wood wren, whose delightful song is not to be heard at this season of the year. From this it will be seen that the "other wild animals" that usually share the wilderness with the prospector (adding sometimes to his happiness and sometimes to his troubles) are not in this area particularly abundant.

—Photo by George E. Winkler.

Open cut on Gold Peak group from which 22-ounce gold ore was shipped in 1934.

—Photo by Mitchell.

Site of Zeballos townsite at head of Arm, near river mouth.

—Photo by George E. Winkler.

Zeballos Peak, elevation 5,174 feet, with Zeballos River in foreground.

—Photo by Mitchell.

Freight for Zeballos, unloaded by Maquinna on scow.

Mouth of Van Isle adit, on which work started in 1935.

—Royal Canadian Air Force Photograph.

Zeballos River mouth from the air, showing tide flats. Townsite on right-hand side of delta.

TOPOGRAPHY

The Zeballos section is a difficult one to prospect as compared with some parts of the province. Cliffs, canyons, slides, at the higher levels, are not the exceptions but the rule, once the main valley and its tributaries are left behind.

GEOLOGY

The higher peaks are snow covered until well on in summer and many summits are above timber line.

Those wishing to study the geology of the Zeballos area should procure Summary Report 1932, Part A 11 of the Geological Survey, in which will be found a description of the various rocks by Dr. H. C. Gunning.

Briefly summarized, he finds the oldest formation to be composed of volcanics of Triassic age which he named the Karmutsen volcanics. They consist largely of pillow and amygdaloidal lavas, basaltic and andesitic, intermixed with considerable quantities of coarse breccias and tuffs.

Lying conformably on this formation is the Quatsino limestone, several hundred feet thick.

Above the Quatsino limestone is the Bonanza group which contains a minor proportion of dark lavas, some light colored ones, and an abundance of tuffs and breccias. Interbedded with these but most abundant near the base of the group are the sediments, which include argillites, quartzites and thin beds of limestone.

The volcanic and sedimentary formations have been much folded and faulted. Beginning in the Jurassic, they were intruded over a long period by a granitic complex that varies from gabbro to granodiorite and includes diorite, quartz diorite, quartz monzonite, and associated dyke rocks.

This complex is known as the Zeballos batholith. After its intrusion into the Mesozoic sediments and volcanics it was later exposed by erosion.

It was the differentiation evident in this batholith that probably impressed Dr. Gunning and had much to do with his widely published opinion that an important centre of gold mineralization would be found in the area.

MINERALOGY

There are no uncommon minerals found in the ore deposits. Magnetite, pyrrhotite, pyrite, chalcopyrite, arsenopyrite, zinc blende, galena and native gold are known to occur in a number of mining camps in this province.

In the Zeballos there are two distinct types of deposits. One, commonly designated the contact metamorphic type, is characterized by magnetite pyrrhotite, pyrite, chalcopyrite and some zinc blende. This type is a replacement of altered limestone or lava and is very irregular in shape and size. It is usually close to an intrusive contact.

The principal metal of importance it carries is copper, with only low values in gold and silver.

The second type is the one that is exciting the present interest in the camp.

It is a lower temperature mineralization, and occurs either in the batholithic rocks or very close to them, in quartz veins that are continuous for hundreds of feet. The fissures are narrow, ranging from an inch or two up to four feet, but averaging perhaps, 8 to 10 inches, if the altered and mineralized wall rock is included.

While some pyrrhotite and chalcopyrite may be present in these veins, the highest grade ore is a mixture of pyrite, arsenopyrite, sphalerite and galena in which native gold may or may not be visible.

EXHIBITS A AND B

The two properties that all visitors to the camp make a point of seeing, at the present time, are the Privateer and the Goldfields groups. The first is sacking and shipping ore to the Tacoma smelter running around $500 a ton in gold, and on the Goldfields development has proved the downward continuity of ore to a vertical depth of 500 feet. A mill will be built on the latter property as soon as the road from Zeballos Arm is completed.

Camps have been constructed on the Gold Peak, North Star, Van Isle, White Star, Bibb group, Rey Oro, Golden Gate and others, in order to carry on underground work during the winter.

PROSPECTING

The location of the properties at present receiving the major share of attention are those on that portion of the batholith lying between Spud and Gold creeks. The narrow ridge between the two creeks reaches an elevation of 2,800 feet at its eastern end. Many claims have also been located in the volcanics.

All the rich gold-bearing veins so far found have a northeasterly strike and fissures showing at the surface little more than a seam of talc are considered worth some exploration, particularly if they occur in the batholithic rocks and have the right strike.

The Privateer vein was followed for 160 feet in the volcanics before the grandiorite was reached. The mineralization shows changes in the grandiorite, indicating a higher temperature in that rock than in the volcanics at the time ore deposition occurred.

Promising discoveries are reported on the Little Zeballos River to the east of Zeballos Arm. Northwest to Kyuquot Sound and southeast to the Tasis River good prospecting areas are indicated, in and along the continuation of the Zeballos batholith.

A history of discoveries since 1924 by the earlier prospectors and an account of the hardships suffered and difficulties overcome to make the first shipments of ore, would be quite a story in itself.

There is some resentment among these pioneers at the blanketing of large areas by surveyors and the representatives of some of the mining companies operating on the mainland.

It appears likely that several hundred men will be combing the west coast next season from Alberni to Quatsino Sound.

TRANSPORTATION

The crying need of the camp at present is transportation facilities. Construction of a road up the river to the Goldfields group, a distance of eight miles, is now underway and should soon be completed. It is essential, though, that work be continued on this road through the winter if it is to be usable in the spring.

Trails from the present end of the road are steep and muddy. Small streams and gullies are bridged with fallen trees, notched with the axe, with wire strung along one side for a handrail. All supplies are backpacked beyond the Privateer. A wharf at the head of the Arm should be built without delay, as the present method of handling freight is slow and costly.

A townsite has been surveyed that the provincial government is putting on the market.

At the time of the writer's last visit, early in November, the town (?) consisted of two rows of rough frame buildings strung along either side of a two-plank roadway that ended in a mudhole, through which trucks wallowed on their way from the beach to Spud Creek.

Landing was made from the Maquinna at about 1.30 a.m., in a heavy rainstorm, on a scow anchored in the harbor.

About 20 passengers with their dunnage were conveyed ashore in a large rowboat. The only "flop-house" could not accommodate so many and 11 sleepy passengers spread their bedding on the floor of a cabin in which two ladies had retired for the night.

Zeballos is now headquarters for over 200 people. As yet it has no hotel, no school, no beer parlor, no church, no policeman, and no jail. It has, though, a most obliging and neighborly spirit.

It will be too late, soon, to see a real gold rush in the raw, so if you want to have a look at one take the train to Port Alberni, 132 miles, the Maquinna for 140 miles and a rowboat for a few hundred yards.

Don't forget, though, to take along your high rubbers, raincoat and sleeping bag!

Will Our Legislators Avert This?

MUSIC

Conductors With Or Without Their Scores; Winnipeg Music Club

By G.J.D.

"Music gives a soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination, a charm to sadness, gaiety and life to everything."—Plato.

"GROUPE DES SIX"

THE VISIT of the gifted Darius Milhaud, the most outstanding of the group of six, to America is recalled (1922-23), when he brought with him much of his own music and that of his colleagues, yet French modern music (we count Debussy and Ravel as Old Masters) seldom appears on American symphonic programmes.

The BBC's enterprising publication The Listener, recently gave an article by Milhaud himself on "Modern French Music," which explains the phenomena and is no doubt being considered by the mighty ones, too lengthy to be cited here.

In a retrospective glance it is seen that the "Groupe des Six," consisting of five men and one woman, Germaine Tailleifer, Arthur Honegger, Georges Auric, Francis Poulenc, Louis Durey and Milhaud himself, became extremely fashionable and much in demand.

The "Six," one dropped out (Durey), then, like the "bottles a-hanging on the wall," there were five. Finally they found themselves much too busy to keep together, so they separated, seeking their own destinies, and in 15 years producing and specializing some "assessments of values" each in his or her own way.

Honegger has written much music for French films, "Les Miserables," etc., string quartettes,and is now writing a "Jeanne d'Arc" choral work. Auric is writing ballets and film music, songs, sonatas for violin and piano, and a big pianoforte sonata. Poulenc, after his famous "Les Biches," has written numerous keyboard pieces (he is a gifted pianist), and is now writing a pianoforte concerto. Monsieur Milhaud has nothing further to say about the "group," and passes on to Igor Stravinsky, Albert Roussel and to Charles Koechlin.

UNIQUE WINNIPEG GROUP

THE MUSICAL City of Winnipeg—its festival and musical activities of choir, club and sundry other organizations prove it—has a group of enthusiasts styled the "Wednesday Morning Musicale," which primarily encourages local composition and aims at rare things. One morning in its unusual enterprise the club presented Busoni and Mahler programmes, and on another occasion gave a concert of the Chopin Studies complete.

No budding latent talent need fear the withered process of lassitude or the lack of sympathetic ears. Here is a club that heeds these potential matters, for original composition, even on a small scale, needs such stimulation as that afforded by the Wednesday Morning Musicale. Some of Winnipeg's other clubs are planning similar ideas.

HISTORIC NORWICH

NORWICH, in East Anglia of Britain, has been a historical centre ever since Queen Elizabeth visited its precincts and beautiful Norman cathedral. Moreover, with the exception of the Three Choirs area no part of England is more alive with music-making than East Anglia. The Norfolk and Norwich Triennial Festival has been held for over a century, and almost as old is the Norwich Philharmonic Society. Diss (one of the oldest musical centres), Yarmouth, Cromer, Lowestoft, Bungay, Beccles, Fakenham and Attleborough all have musical societies. The news that the BBC Orchestra is to visit Norwich in June next has greatly stirred these East Anglia centres.

CONDUCTORS

THE "MAESTRO" Toscanini, one of the world's greatest conductors, has been filling many engagements in the Motherland, and has had much written about him in the English press. In fact, not only of Toscanini, there has been more written about orchestral conductors than any other musical phenomenon, even of the composer whose music they interpret.

Another famous conductor is Serge Koussevitzky, at the head of the historic Boston Symphony Orchestra. He is one of those who do not agree with conducting everything from memory. He says, "it is purely an individual matter," and is certain that any first-rate conductor knows his scores well enough to dispense with them entirely, so his choice is a personal one. And so long as he feels completely free in the method he has chosen how can there be any difference in the effect of his performance? If he is nervous without a score, the audience will be aware of it at once; if, on the other hand, he feels bound, tied down, when he uses one, they will be equally sensitive to his mood.

WHY HE USES A SCORE

THERE is this to be said, however, unless a man has an absolutely phenomenal memory, his determination never to use a score will in some degree limit his repertoire. If you are asking me why I use a score, I can only say quite simply that I never made a practice of working without one. As a soloist I play everything from memory, but I have never carried over that habit into my conducting."

And Serge Koussevitzky is one of the finest of American conductors, ranking among the "superlatives" of the present day.

Getting Things For Christmas

By NELLIE L. McCLUNG
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THIS MATTER of giving is on our minds, now that December has come in. In August I am sure that in my Christmas giving I will not squander much money on Christmas cards. In August I am sure that the money spent on Christmas cards has been unwisely spent. But when December comes driving in with slanting spears of sleet, when the days are short, and the nights are long, and the wind mourns in the chimney, and the trees are all bare and the landscape desolate, I want all the bells, and candles, and Christmas trees and stars, and tinsel I can get and I want to buy cards in boxes and look them over carefully and send them far and wide, with something written on every one of the them.

I like fireside scenes with a cat on the homemade mat, and I like stockings hung beside the fire, and a kettle hung from a black hook above the flames and I like coaching scenes and people walking along snowy streets with their arms full of parcels, and horse-drawn sleighs, full of happy people, and I like, too, scenes of village churches where the people are flocking in to sing "Holy Night" and "O Little Town of Bethlehem!"

The price of a gift bears but little relation to its value! Some inexpensive things are able to defy the attrition of time.

I REMEMBER the first time I left home; aged 16, going out to teach in a country school in Manitoba. The neighbors gathered the night before and presented me with gifts beautiful and welcome; two pairs of stockings from Mrs. Merrell; handkerchiefs from Mrs. Naismith; plaid silk for a blouse from my sister, Lizzie, and a motto from Mrs. Ingram.

The stockings ran their course; the handkerchiefs are no more; even the plaid blouse came and went, but it is not as completely gone as the others, for I still have a picture of it, with myself in it. But the motto, though corporeally it has no doubt long since returned to the dust from which it came, still lives in my memory. I hung it on the walls of the school, and often drew comfort from it when the long afternoon was closing.

The lines could never be classified as poetry, but they carried a message even as a piece of brown paper may wrap a jewel.

Here are the words:

"Do not look at life's long sorrow,
See how small each moment's pain;
God will help you on the morrow,
So each day begins again."

I got from them the eternal wisdom of taking time in small portions. Years after I read what Sir William Osler said about dividing our time into day-tight compartments, and not letting any sour-faced Yesterday reach over to slap, with its black hand, the young face of Tomorrow!

I MET a woman and her daughter on the train going east, and the mother confided in me that she was experiencing great difficulty in deciding what she should give Evelyn, her daughter, for Christmas.

"It must be something she can wear," said this fond and foolish parent. "Evelyn practically never reads—there always are so many parties, she really has no time. But she loves pretty things to wear. Expensive things, too, I regret to say. But she has everything. Her aunts, and grandmother, are always showering her with presents. She has everything."

I could have suggested something for Evelyn. Something to wear, too, and something she needs badly. A new expression on her face, for Evelyn has the sulky look of a spoiled child and no amount of lace and jewelry can overcome that. It will not yield to external treatment.

But I couldn't very well say that to her mother.

I did say that if Evelyn could be interested in some girl her own age, who is having a hard time, and would share some of the lovely things that are given to her, she might find life interesting. I told her about little shop girls who wash their one and only handkerchief each night and seldom have the second pair of stockings. . . .

But the conversation languished about there. Evelyn's mother was not interested. So I went back to my theme, which is this question of Christmas giving.

THE PERFECT GIFT is the one that enlarges our horizon; which brings us into new experiences. To find something for a friend, which he or she wants, but would not be likely to buy, is the final test of giving from a friend to a friend.

William Stidger wrote some verse about giving books to children in which he said that to give a child a book is to give that child a look down the ages!

I know this is true. At that gathering of friends to which I have just referred when I was about to leave the friendly shelter of the old house on the farm, my brother Will contributed a whole set of Dickens and it was from these volumes that I first became conscious of what literature can mean and having received that early, it went deep. I was able to look into other days and see the shaping of human destiny.

Christmas is a time for friendly giving and experimental giving, thoughtfully carried out. It is well to give presents which cause activity. The present which only pleases for the first few minutes is a poor one. When the Women's Institute in a certain prairie village gave presents to three old ladies, their first thought was to give a bed jacket and hot water bottle to each one. But fortunately the president was a woman of vision.

"Don't do it," she said. "Old ladies, like our three, do not want to be reminded of their rheumatism, and the fact that they are likely to remain more and more in bed. Let us buy them the wool, and give each of them a different Afghan book, so that a competition will be held."

CHRISTMAS GIVING should have in it that essence of hospitality that binds the elements of a nation together. Let us never forget the Family who found no room at the Inn. Let us do one thing at least to make some stranger feel the impact of kindliness. In Canada, we have not only individuals who are far from home. We have racial groups who are not yet assimilated. At the Folk Festival held in Vancouver last October, a Doukhobor choir was brought from the inland to sing. They were entertained and given a welcome by the other groups, and, I believe, this act of thoughtfulness on the part of the directors of the festival will bear fruit in the years to come. Self-expression, companionship, the feeling of being wanted—these are the leaves of the tree which heal the nation.

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BOOKS

Millions Purchase Books Offering Hope and Help To Downcast

By WILLIS THORNTON

THE NOVELIST who sells as many as 7,500 copies of his book considers that he has a great success. And the non-fiction book that sells 5,000 copies is doing very well indeed.

So when Dale Carnegie's book "How to Win Friends and Influence People" sells more than 600,000 copies, you may fairly conclude that Mr. Carnegie has got something there.

He has. And so has Mrs. Dorothea Brande, whose "Wake Up and Live" sold more than 125,000. And so has Marjorie Hills, whose "Live Alone and Like It" has soared on above 120,000. What with the circulating libraries, these figures mean literally millions of readers.

Millions of people, you see, who after living 30 or 40 or 50 years, suddenly looked at their lives and said, "What! Still working for old Smogg?" Or surveyed their failures in love and friendship, their lack of pre-eminence socially, and said: "Gosh! Surely I can't be as bad at all this!"

Whereupon they began to look about them for a guide out of the wilderness of personal and business mediocrity. And the guide was waiting, bound in neat covers, at $2.50.

BLAME THE DEPRESSION

THERE'S little that's new about them. Fifty years ago, points out Miss Hillis, there was a book on "How You Can Charm Those You Meet and Make Them Love You," which certainly borders closely on the territory now being occupied so impressively by Mr. Carnegie. It was the depression, believes Miss Hillis, that brought the search for happiness to its present furious tempo.

Even in 1929, Prof. Walter B. Pitkin announced that "for the first time in the career of mankind, happiness is coming within the reach of millions of people." So by 1932 Professor Pitkin was ready to help in that realization with "Life Begins at Forty," first of the flood of tremendously successful "polish up your personality" books that still flows unabated.

Pitkin's book, which immediately leaped into the best-seller class, ministered to a large class of people who felt lost and confused in the changed post-depression world. Pitkin had already written "The Psychology of Happiness" and the "Twilight of the American Mind," but "Life Begins at Forty" really rang the bell.

Nearly a million copies of Pitkin's 20-odd books have been sold, all of them aimed at encouraging, inspiring, or directing people who want to make something of themselves and their lives, people who want so desperately to be happy.

HOW TO DO IT

DOROTHEA BRANDE in her preface to "Wake Up and Live" describes their feeling when she says, "Of course it goes without saying that I was unhappy. Not miserably and painfully unhappy, but just nagged at and depressed by my own ineffectuality. . . . I never ceased harrying myself consulting teachers and analysts and psychologists and physicians for advice as to how to get out of my pit."

All that is necessary, Mrs. Brande concluded, "to break the spell of inertia and frustration" is this: "Act as if it were impossible to fail." And she then tells you how to do that.

There is no lack of guideposts on the road to happiness. If anything, the road is marked by a somewhat baffling thoroughness. Here are few of the approaches recently offered a happiness-hungry public:

The Achievement of Happiness (Sokoloff), The Art of Thinking and What We Live By (Dimnet), More Power to You (Pitkin), Straight and Crooked Thinking (Thouless), Why Not Enjoy Life (Rogers), Give Yourself a Chance (Byron), Let Yourself Go (Barton), Streamline Your Mind (Mursell), Unmasking Our Minds, How to Worry Successfully, Growing Into Life, Keep Your Wits, What Makes Us Seem So Queer (Seabury), Be Glad You're Neutrotic (Bisch), How to Develop Your Personality (Shellow), Marks of a Clear Mind (Wiggin), Keeping Mentally Fit (Jastrow), Look Eleven Years Younger (Burgess).

THEY FILL THE HALLS

THAT is the merest cross-section of the scores of happiness and success books whose teachings range all the way from the same kind of old-fashioned "work hard and be good" advice that Benjamin Franklin popularized 150 years ago, to the latest and most scientific psychological devices for making your mind lie down and roll over or jump through hoops at command.

But the books are only one leading phase of the search for happiness. With them, hand in hand, comes a revival of the lecture platform that recalls Chautauqua days. Great-grandfather's idea of respectable culture was to attend a good lecture. The generation just passed deserted the Chautauqua.

But today's generation fills every lecture hall that promises a guidepost to happiness and success. Practically all the authors of happiness books mentioned above do lecturing either as a result of or as a prelude to their books.

CHARM ON TAP

AND THE halls are well-filled always with attentive people, a good share of whom sign up for the course that usually follows. Dale Carnegie's personally-conducted courses in influencing people are scarcely less popular than his record-breaking book.

Margery Wilson and Alma Archer have achieved large followings with correspondence courses in "How to Be Charming" and "How to Be Smart," variations of the "Charm School" theme. And at least two new magazines, "Charm" and "Your Life," are also devoted to this work.

Saroyan Bares Life Of a "Writer" In Hollywood

WILLIAM SAROYAN, the young Armenian-American writer, recently was engaged to write a scenario in Hollywood and he tells of his impressions in an article, "Young American Writer in Hollywood," in the December issue of Story.

"What if you are a success in Hollywood?" he asks other writers. Suppose you are? So what? Well, you wear tailor-made suits, expensive shirts, shoes, ties, socks, etc. You eat the best food. You live in swanky apartments. You drink the best liquor money can buy. You meet wealthy people and famous ones. You meet a very beautiful and famous actress, for instance, and discover she has the intelligence of a girl of eight. At the same time, she is a brilliant conversationalist. You converse. Nothing happens to her intelligence. It is eight on any subject. What she has, however, is something a lot more exciting that intelligence. I don't mean sex. I mean beauty and drive. She has an endless amount of each. The situation is awful and glorious.

"You meet, also, numerous producers; they are all human. You go to the Clover Club and gamble. You wind up every night at one or another of the night spots at 2, 3, 4 and 5 in the morning. You go to all the class-conscious events of the town from plain parties to banquets for visiting writers from Europe. You get a little mixed up, too. On the one hand, you admire a man who earns $3,000 a week for his interest in the proletariat and on the other hand you don't quite know. Is he really interested in the proletariat? If he isn't, what of it, so long as he keeps on donating money to the cause? And so on.

"Hollywood can be of no use to the writer (as a writer) because it doesn't need or employ writers. Those in Hollywood now called writers are not writers; they are (1) idea men, (2) story discussers, (3) plot men, (4) dialogue writers and (5) if they write at all, collaborators. The first necessity of the writer, privacy, is completely out of the question in Hollywood. By privacy I mean inward aloneness, without which I personally feel no good writing can be done."

New Detective Twist

EDGAR JOHNSON has written a swift, fascinating story in "The Praying Mantis" (Stackpole Sons). It moves along as a psychological study of character, for two-thirds of its length, and then suddenly becomes a murder story climaxed by a breath-taking detective story puzzle. All in all, it is one of the most completely readable novels of the fall.

Mr. Johnson offers us a successful, middle-aged publisher and his wife, the latter a grade-A hell-cat crossed with just a touch of nymphomania. The hell-cat strain seems to predominate, though; out of pure cussedness, the lady is out to make as complete a hash as possible of her husband's life.

Since she has had a long succession of lovers, it seems no more than fair when the husband finally takes a lovely miss to his bosom on his own account; but this, illogically, drives his wife to a final fury of rage. She resolves to kill him. But she won't do the job herself; instead, she will poison the mind of his new mistress until that adoring lady does the job for her.

So the wife sets to work; and at last at a house party on their country estate, she succeeds. And then Mr. Johnson gives his story a twist.

By sheer chance, the murdering mistress leaves a trail of evidence which points—not at her, but to the wife who egged her on.

Since the detective story element enters here (although the book is emphatically not to be classed as a detective story) we suppose it wouldn't be cricket for us to tell you how the thing comes out. But the solution is both logically and emotionally satisfactory, and it brings to a climax a remarkably entertaining story.

Pioneer Nazi Writes Of Hitler, Ex-friend

KURT LUDECKE joined the German Nazi movement away back before the Beer Hall Putsch. He was the man who sold Ludendorff the idea, brought the Jew-baiter Julius Streicher into the party, and acted as Hitler's first contact man with Mussolini.

Driven from his position shortly before the blood purge, sent to a concentration camp, fleeing over the border with the connivance of his one remaining friend among Nazi bigwigs, Ernst Roehm, Ludecke has since been living in the United States; and, from the record, he ought to be able to tell an interesting and authentic story about Hitler's rise to power.

He tells the story in "I Knew Hitler" (Scribner's; and it is fully as interesting as you would expect—although how authentic it may be I know not. In the main, I believe, he sticks pretty closely to the facts. Certainly his book seems to have all the documentation a book of this kind could have.

But in any case, it is absorbingly interesting. Ludecke, who put Hitler on an unimaginably lofty pedestal at the beginning, feels that the leader sold out the cause for the sake of power. Step by step, he traces the process by which ideals were compromised or laid aside.

Hitler's biggest mistake, Ludecke says, was his failure to seize power by force in the spring of 1932; instead, he "blackmailed" his way into office, and got so involved in deals with his supposed enemies that the blood purge of two years later was an inevitable aftermath.

Children's Books

MURIEL DENISON'S "Susannah of the Mounties" was one of last year's most popular books for girls of eight years old and over. Since then, the film rights have been bought for the highest price yet paid for any juvenile, and Shirley Temple is to have the leading part. Whether or not this is a matter for rejoicing depends on your own reaction to Miss Temple's personality.

The film will reach thousands of children who never heard of the book, and it should create a demand not only for last year's success, but for its sequel, "Susannah of the Yukon," which was published in October.

Susannah had been left with her uncle at Regina, and when she had earned for herself the honorable title of "Susannah of the Mounties," and had traveled to England to see Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee, she returned to Canada with her father and mother.

In the new book she sets out for the Yukon with her parents. After an adventurous trip over the Chilkoot Pass with a party of the Northwest Mounted Police, Sue arrived in Dawson, the strange capital of the Yukon. She was enthusiastic about this new life, and with her usual energy and spirit of adventure, learned how to drive a team of huskies, how to pan gold like a true miner, and how to be brave in the face of disaster.

Susannah Elizabeth Fairfield Winston is a character. She has courage and vitality, persistence and obstinacy, and from her observation of the Mounties, she has a knowledge of honor and discipline. Probably by the time our Shirley has finished with her, Susannah will be too cute for words.

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European Home Of 4,000 Years Ago Built

Luebeck Restorations Show Beginnings of German Farmhouse and Prove That Ancient Man Must Have Had a Hard Time Building His House Without Metal Implements, for Timbers Were Rough and Unsquared

By Dr. FRANK THONE

HOUSES in which our ancestors lived at the time of Christ, and 2,000 years before then, are shown restored in full size and original condition at a new open-air museum in the North German city of Luebeck.

They may be considered ancestral homes of Englishmen as well as of Continental Germanic-speaking peoples, for the tribes that colonized Britain and gave rise to what we call Anglo-Saxon culture started from this part of the European mainland.

The two houses stand a little distance from each other in the park, each an exact restoration in architecture, building materials and interior furnishings, according to the best information scientists have been able to obtain.

OLDER HOUSES RECTANGULAR

The restoration of the older of the two houses, showing a New Stone Age farmstead of about 2000 B.C., is a rectangular building with a steeply pitched roof of thatch. The ridgepole of the roof is supported on two stout upright posts and projects at either end.

The framework of the house is of stout, rough, unsquared timbers, and the spaces between are filled in with panels of "wattle-and-daub," that is, coarse wicker work plastered with clay. The windows are square, and quite small.

Within, there is a central hearth of stones, with a hole in the roof to let the smoke escape. There is no chimney. Shelves against the wall and strings from the beams support the cooking and table utensils—well-shaped and neatly decorated pottery vessels of assorted shapes and sizes. The man's weapons—bow with stone-tipped arrows, spear and stone war axe—lean against one of the wooden supporting posts.

In a second room to the rear are stored supplies and a stone handmill for grinding the grain. Women worked hard in those early days.

The second house, dated about the beginning of the Christian era, shows a considerable advance over the earlier type, yet reveals also its evolutionary connection with it. It is still rectangular with a straw-thatched, steep-pitched roof, but it is larger and is built entirely of logs. Indeed, it resembles rather strongly the log-cabins of pioneer America. It is surrounded by a fence with posts set firmly in the ground and woven together with a lattice of stout branches.

Within, the arrangements and furnishings show vividly the advantages gained by the introduction of iron tools. The inner sides of the logs are squared off, and the supporting posts are also squared. There are benches and a table of good smooth boards, not only well fitted but artistically carved.

The central open fireplace still lacks a chimney, although there is a kind of flue supported on the rafters, that helps to lead the smoke toward the smokehole in the roof. Over the fire a big bronze kettle is suspended on iron chains.

The same building was occupied by both the family and their farm animals, as many of the older farmhouses in Europe are today. In those earlier times, this was necessary for the protection of livestock from wild beasts and human foes. The central hearth provides the separating zone; at one end the stalls, at the other the living quarters for the family. In the more recent farmhouses, as in lower Saxony, walls separate living quarters from stable, but in this ancient dwelling the busy housewife tending her fire could keep an eye on how things were going throughout the establishment.

In the living quarters the shelves and other furniture are more numerous than in the Neolithic house, but most of the table and kitchenware (with the exception of the big bronze kettle) are still of pottery and much the same in pattern as those of 2,000 years earlier—as, indeed, a great deal of pottery is today. A notable feature is a stone quern or handmill for grinding the family's grain.

The man's equipment for war is quite different from that of his Neolithic grandsire; a stout shield and a heavy iron sword hung from pegs in the wall. Iron also gives strength and edge to the tools of peace, the axes, knives and farm implements.

The development of this type of house in northern Germany has considerable historical and cultural significance. Older than the "square house," over practically the whole of Europe, was the "round house." The latter type of construction was still used in the Celtic countries in early historic times. But the people who lived in square houses gradually extended their borders as far south as Greece, and even eastward toward India.

From square-built log houses of the Iron Age, such as the one reconstructed in Luebeck, went forth the sword-armed warriors under Arminius, who gave such rough welcome to visitors from Italy among the dark spruce trees of the Teutoberg Forest, just after the opening of the Christian era. From such houses, also, a few hundred years later, went that first great tide of emigrants, who crossed the North Sea and gave the name of one of their tribes to the land that had before been known only as Britain—Angleland, or England.

Interior of house of about the year 1 A.D. (left) showing central hearth with big cooking kettle of bronze, pottery vessels on shelves, and in background well-carpentered and carved table and long seat; (below) exterior of Neolithic house 2,000 years earlier, showing timber-frame construction filled in with clay-plastered panel; (above) a North German farmhouse built in early modern times that still uses the same kind of frame-and-panel construction and steep, thatched roof.

Muscle Training Aids Paralysis Victims

FIGHTING THEIR WAY BACK TO HEALTH, these children at the Georgia Warm Springs Foundation are learning to control and use crippled muscles. Infantile paralysis destroys nerve tissue, thus paralyzing the muscles the nerves control. After-care exercises are used to teach the patient to control those muscles with other nerves. Much of the training is carried out under water because the body floats, lightening the load on muscles weakened by long inactivity. The insets show closeups of attendants and patients at work.

By JANE STAFFORD

YEARS ago, a lad in Georgia, the story goes, was stricken with infantile paralysis. One day he was taken to bathe in the pool made by the Warm Springs. To his surprise, he found that he could do under water the movements he could not make with his paralyzed body when on land.

IMPROVED AFTER VISITS

His improvement after daily visits and swims in the pool caused so much talk that finally the pool was developed as a centre for infantile paralysis treatment. Patients came from all over the country to swim in the pool and, buoyed by the warm water, to move, exercise and strengthen their paralyzed muscles.

Because of President Roosevelt's interest and encouragement in Warm Springs, after he had visited it as a patient himself, it has grown until now it is nationally known as a centre for the after-care of infantile paralysis. The drive now being planned to obtain funds for a nation-wide fight to conquer this disease started with the annual balls held on the President's birthday to obtain funds for the foundation at Warm Springs.

Warm Springs, however, is not the only place where crippled, paralyzed limbs are being gradually restored to useful activity. In most large cities swimming pools are available and experts have learned by special training in physical therapy to help re-educate paralyzed muscles. If there are no swimming pools, the training can be carried on just as effectively on kitchen tables at home, although the water makes it pleasanter and easier. And if no specially trained experts are available, the child's own mother can learn, under the doctor's guidance, to give the muscle training exercise and massage. To help her, a special bulletin on the subject has been prepared by the U.S. Public Health Service in Washington.

POLIO A NERVE DISEASE

Infantile paralysis, although it may leave its victim with paralyzed muscles, is really a nerve disease. The invisible virus that causes it enters the body along the nerves of smell. Preventive measures to block the virus' entry by sealing off the endings of the nerve of smell with chemicals sprayed far up into the nose, are now being tried.

Just how successful these sprays may be has not yet been definitely discovered. Ordinarily the virus, after reaching the higher nerve centres in the brain, spreads, also along nerve routes it is believed, to other parts of the body, destroying nerve cells as it travels.

The muscles supplied by these nerve cells are paralyzed because they do not get the messages from the brain directing them to contract and perform movements. When muscles are not used they stop making demands on the blood for nourishment and the result is that the unused muscles are starved and waste away.

RETRAINING MUSCLES

This after-care consists, essentially, of retraining muscles and those nerves that were not destroyed by the infantile paralysis virus. The nerves that are left are unaccustomed to working together and at first perform their work badly. Nerves, however, can be trained to work together with precision. Each time a partially paralyzed muscle contracts it not only improves the nourishment of its fibres and strengthens itself, but also improves the co-ordination of the nerves which stimulate it.

Training the nerves to act together is real work, however, and takes persistence and courage. It can be accomplished, but the patient must do his part. Physicians insist that the muscle retraining can be carried on like other lessons, with the patient giving his full attention and without any distractions from other persons or from toys. The exercises themselves, however, can be made into a game in some cases.

The amount of improvement possible depends on the number of uninjured nerve cells which remain. This cannot be determined, physicians proceed on the assumption that every muscle is capable of attaining the normal. The muscle re-education can be accomplished even in cases of long-standing paralysis.

FATIGUE IS DANGEROUS

One important phase of the muscle training is to watch out for fatigue.

Another important point is to have the patient try to perform the movement of the exercise himself. After he has tried, the trained assistant may move the limb for him. This is called passive exercise and the value of it and of massage is chiefly the stimulation of blood circulation through the paralyzed muscles.

MUST PREVENT PULL

Important, also, is to prevent the pull of the stronger, unparalyzed muscles from causing deformity. For this reason, among others, the exercises must be carefully planned and the patient must not be allowed to achieve movement of an arm or leg by twisting his body and using unparalyzed muscles. The latter performance does not train the paralyzed muscles and may increase the deformity of the body. Braces properly applied are an aid both in supporting weakened muscles and preventing such deformity.

When the body is in the water it is lighter and that is why some infantile paralysis patients can swim when they cannot walk alone. Swimming, however, is only a small part of the after-care given at Georgia Warm Springs and other similar institutions.

Treading Down The Straw

Unusual type of threshing here seen at Miller Ranch, Rocky Point. Manager J. B. Edwards has young Cecil Shingles up on the threshing horse.

HELIUM

BANDOENG, Java — Helium has been found in volcanic gases by two Dutch geologists working on the volcano Lawoe in the Netherlands East Indies. The percentage is very low, only about 0.00145 per cent; yet this is about three and one-half times the concentration of helium in the atmosphere. Traces of neon were also found.

Camera Halts Football's Flight

"Toe meets ball—toe loses ball"—over the goalpost, hopes this Washington Redskin back who is demonstrating correct dropkick form in front of Science Service Photographer Fremont Davis's stop-action camera. But even the 32 photos a second taken by that camera are not enough to catch toe buried in ball. The Massachusetts Institute of Technology's machine that makes 800 photos a second was needed to secure the bottom three photos showing the instant of contact between toe and ball. Note that the player's toe is buried deep in the ball in the photo at left. The stop-action camera is a stepped-up motion picture camera using a finer lens; the camera used by the M. I. T. scientists takes sharp pictures of rapidly moving objects by lighting them up for an almost immeasurably short period of time with a brilliant electric spark.

A PAGE FOR THE CHILDREN

Uncle Ray

Old King Winter—Questions About Glaciers

WHERE DID the name "glacier" come from, and why does a glacier move so slowly?" asked Paul Larsen, after I talked to his school class about Old King Winter. Another pupil asked why glaciers move at all, and Glenn Pratt asked, "What forms glaciers?"

The name glacier came from a French word "glace"—which means "ice", and a glacier is a mass of ice and snow.

There are many glaciers today—in the Alps mountains, in Canada, in Alaska, on certain peaks in the northwestern part of the United States, in southerly parts of South America, and, above all, in Greenland.

Greenland, indeed, is hardly more than one great ice sheet This ice sheet, or glacier, covers more than 500,000 square miles. There are "valley glaciers" in Greenland, as well as the main ice sheet. These glaciers slide downward toward the sea. When they reach the sea, they break off in chunks and form icebergs.

La Romanche Glacier

THE VALLEY GLACIERS of Switzerland have been studied with care. Certain of them have been found to move only from 6 to 15 inches in a day.

Valley glaciers in some countries move faster than those of Switzerland—making several feet a day. The age and size of the glacier, the slope of the land, the pressure from above, and the state of the weather decide the rate at which a glacier moves.

The great ice sheets which spread over this continent long, long ago have been made famous by geography text books. The last of them came and went away many thousands of years ago, scientists say. They dumped boulders, gravel and soil in the beds of rivers, thus damming them up and forming lakes.

TO UNDERSTAND how a large ice sheet could move, we may figure what would happen if another one should come. In order for it to be formed, there would need to be longer and colder winters, and shorter summers. Part of the snowfall of each winter would need to stay on the ground through the summer.

The pressing of the upper snow would tend to melt the snow beneath, but with cold enough weather the melted snow would turn into ice, and thus the glacier would be built up. It might get to be hundreds of feet high. With the pressing weight from more snowfall above, and with some melting of the ice below, we could expect the ice sheet to spread out—much as pancake batter spreads when it is dropped in a skillet.

Frost and Falling Snow

SOMETIMES on winter days, old Jack Frost gets busy and paints the window panes of our homes. He is not a human artist—he is just Nature at work—but he makes some beautiful pictures.

The pictures, as a rule, look like trees, bushes, flowers or hills. They are formed of ice crystals, each with six points, and are a great deal like snowflakes though not exactly the same.

The frost crystals come from tiny drops of water—there must be moisture in the air in order for them to form. They tend to form at the edges of a window pane, and later to cover it up.

A bit of Jack Frost's Work

In some cases, frost is formed on a window pane after melting ice drips against the glass. If the weather changes, tiny drops may freezs again and form frost crystals.

IT IS INTERESTING to watch the work of Jack Frost, but falling snow has more life to it than frost, and I think is enjoyed by more persons. On days that are not too cold, we are likely to be pleased by the airy, fairy flakes which come gently down.

There may be, on the other hand, danger in falling snow. If it comes heavily, as a blizzard which lasts for hours or even days, it may cause people to lose their way.

SOMETIMES SHEEP have been caught in blizzards while in the open, and have huddled together until they were completely covered by snow. Strangely enough, the snow may tend to save their lives, for it forms a kind of blanket around them and thus keeps them from the blast of the winter winds. The warmth of their bodies while huddled together and the snow blanket have kept them alive for a day or two, in some cases, during terrible blizzards.

To Be Continued Next Saturday

A Victoria Girl Visits the World's Smallest Church In Channel Islands

WHEN Frances May Rowbotham, who lives at 2632 Shelbourne Street, and who is only eight years of age, read the story about Holland on the Children's Page three weeks ago she decided to write about her trip to the Channel Islands. You will all remember that the story about Holland was written by Muriel Jarvis of Duncan, who is 15 years of age, and last summer went to Europe with her parents. Perhaps there are other children who read the stories on this page every week who had interesting trips last summer and would like to write about them. If so, address them to the Editor, Children's Page, The Times, Victoria. If you have a good picture, send it along too.

The smallest church in the world. Frances May Rowbotham was just able to stand in the doorway.

By FRANCES MAY ROWBOTHAM

IN MAY of this year my mother and I took a trip to England. We sailed from New York on the Queen Mary and landed in Southampton. Then we went to Guernsey. It is one of the Channel Islands. There we saw the smallest church in the world. I could just stand in the doorway. The foundation is made of clinkers and cement. Then all over it are pieces of broken china, colored glass and sea shells. The decorations inside are the same. A French monk built it.

After six weeks we left and went to London. We saw the King and Queen outside of Buckingham Palace. I fed the pigeons in Trafalgar Square, I went to the zoo, the Tower of London and Madam Tussaud's.

We also went to Windsor Castle, where we saw Queen Mary's Dolls' House.

I certainly liked the tubes and undergrounds.

After staying there 10 days we left London for Dover by train. When we got to Dover we went by boat to Calais, then by train again to Paris. It all seemed very strange to me to hear nothing but French spoken.

THE SECOND day we went to the Exposition. There were pavilions representing every country in the world. They were all very beautiful. It is built on the banks of the River Seine. We had a boat trip up and down the river.

From Paris we went back to London, then to Wales. We had a nice time there. Then to Lancashire, Isle of Man, and we sailed from Liverpool to Montreal. We stayed at Lake Louise for a few days, after which we returned home to Victoria.

Strange Siberian Mountain Sheep

Two Hunters Go to Wilds of Siberia and Finally Shoot One Animal

WHAT DOES a Siberian mountain sheep look like? Are any still wandering about the highlands of eastern Siberia?

Those questions, and others like them, were in the minds of two white men who went to Siberia in the summer of 1921. One was an Alaskan known as Andy Taylor. The other was John B. Burnham of New York State.

Fur traders had spoken of mountain sheep in Siberia, and had told of seeing spoons made from the horns. The animals, however, had kept well out of sight of hunters, and there was "no evidence to show that a live sheep ever had been seen by a white man." None of the world's museums had an example of a Siberian sheep.

Taylor and Burnham decided to try to find out more about the little-known beasts, and to shoot a specimen if they had the fortune to see one.

The sheep appeared hardly 20 yards away.

ESKIMOS live in eastern Siberia, and from among them the whites chose two as their guides and helpers. With sleeping bags, blankets, a tent and packs of food, the party climbed a mountain. On the first night, their camp was pitched eight miles from the sea coast.

The next day, and the next, they tramped over the mountains of Chukotsk Peninsula. Hours passed while they crossed masses of granite and other rock, without seeing a single bird or beast, and without passing near a single tree or bush.

Day followed day, and week followed week. At times they found themselves in fairly good hunting country, and were able to shoot small animals for food—but not once did they see a sheep.

After two months in the mountains and hills, Burnham was caught in a fog while away from camp. He studied the ground, in an effort to find his way back to his friends. Suddenly he caught sight of something which made him forget about the fog. On some green moss he saw the clear, fresh imprint of a sheep's foot!

CRAWLING over the ground, he looked for other signs. In a minute or two he found hairs which had been shed by the animal when it lay down to rest.

Going a little farther, Burnham came to the edge of the crater of an old and long-dead volcano. "The sheep may be in this old crater," he thought, and started walking downward between jagged rocks.

By this time the fog had lifted a little, and he could see some distance ahead. In a little while he saw an animal bounding away. Lifting his rifle, he fired three times.

The shots did not reach their mark, or at least did not strike a vital spot. The animal quickly got out of sight.

The man studied the ground and found a trail of blood. Following it, he saw the animal again and fired from a distance of 30 yards. Again he failed to bring it down.

Night had come, so Burnham found his way back to camp. There he told the others of his adventures.

FOR TWO days the party hunted the sheep without once catching sight of it. Then they found themselves hemmed in by fog, and did not know the way back to their camp.

By and by the fog began to life, and as it lifted, a strange thing happened. The sheep appeared hardly 20 yards away! Burnham fired, and this time the sheep fell in its tracks. It began to slide down toward the edge of a precipice, but one of the Eskimos ran to it and grasped it by the horns.

Pleased over at last having found their game, the hunters carried the dead sheep to the camping place. It had mouse-colored hair, but its tail was black. The horns had a spread of 17 inches, and the animal weighed about 110 pounds. One of its legs had been broken, probably as a result of a shot fired when Burnham first saw it.

Willie Winkle

Election Questions

ABOUT ALL WE HEARD in our house and in our school and in the whole neighborhood for some days was the election. And the questions we've been asked at school about elections and governments, and there were plenty of things I didn't know anything about and when I went home and asked my parents why they didn't seem to know either.

They asked us how many men were in the City Council and how many men in the Legislature. I wonder how many grown-ups can answer those questions? Well, I found out there 10 men and the mayor in the council and 46 men and two women in the Legislature.

Then they got to asking us who was the Premier of the province and that stumped some of the kids. One kid said Chief Heatley was Mayor of Victoria.

BUT THIS by-election to send a man to Ottawa had us all guessing and we had some great old discussions at home, and even Babe, who's nine years old, was mixed up in it.

"What's all this champagne?" she came home at noon one day asking.

"Champagne?" we said.

"Yes, all we talk about is the champagne. Olive and I are the only two Liberals. Most of the other kids are Conservatives," Babe said.

"Oh, you mean campaign," we said.

"Well, alright, what's the difference?" said Babe. "I don't understand all of it, anyway."

"Why are you a Liberal?" mother asked Babe.

"Well, aren't you a Liberal?" Babe asked back.

"Grown-up people don't tell who they vote for. The ballot is secret and I don't have to even vote the way your father does," said mother.

"How would you know how to vote if you didn't ask father?" Betty asked.

"I can read just as well as your father," said mother, "and if you can get plenty of informationn over the radio."

"Suppose you go and look at all the candidates and then vote for the best looking one," I said.

"Politicians are never good-looking," said my mother.

"Why?" asked Babe.

"Well, I don't know why," said mother, who was kind of put on the spot by Babe's question. "But they just aren't good-looking."

WHY SHOULD they have Liberals and Conservatives?" asked Babe, who can ask more dizzy questions than anyone I know.

"Well, I suppose it's because men never could agree, so long ago they formed themselves into two parties, and one was the Tory and the other the Whig. Later the Whigs became known as the Liberals and the Tories became known as the Conservatives. You never hear a Liberal called a Whig nowadays, but you often hear Conservatives called Tories—that's supposed to mean he's a stiff-backed Conservative—he won't give way to any changes. And then there were the Socialists who now are known in Canada as the C.C.F. And there are some other groups, like the Social Credit in Alberta, and Farmers' Government and Labor. Newspapers are recognized almost like parties, one in a city will be Liberal and the other Conservative. Then, when there is a campaign, each paper supports the cause of its representative. But if there are other candidates, the newspapers today are very fair and report what these men have to say. There was a day when the papers were not always that fair."

WELL, mother, Miss Jordan said this morning that we were going to get out a newspaper," said Babe. "Does that mean we'll have to be politically! If there are only two Liberals and all the rest are Conservatives and I'm to be the editor, what will we do?"

"My dear, I think I'll leave that to the teacher to decide," said mother. "Don't bother your little head about politics yet. You learn all your lessons and if the teacher wants a paper she'll show you how to get one out."

"What time is it, Willie?" asked Babe.

"Ten to one," I said. "Gee, we'd better hustle or we'll all be late."

"There you are again, Babe, talking too much as usual, and you haven't drunk your milk," said mother.

"Well, I can't help it," said Babe as she gobbled down her milk.

And then we three kids scooted down the cellar steps and off to school.

Christopher Columbus and His Discovery of America

The oft-told tale of Queen Isabella selling, or pawning, her jewels to help Columbus is illustrated above. This story has no certain proof, and may be called "possible but no probable." It is known, however, that the queen was more friendly than her husband to the plan of reaching the Orient by sailing west.

Many of the sailors aboard the ships of Columbus were rough fellows, and we are told they plotted to throw him overboard. If there was such a plot, no effort was made to carry it out. Onward the vessels sailed as the weeks passed by. Perhaps even the bold admiral feared that death was lurking close ahead.

Two months and nine days after leaving Spain, Columbus and his men reached the island they called San Salvador. The friendly natives were given trinkets, including bells. Columbus called them "Indians" because he believed they were related to the people of India. This mistaken name later was given to tribes all over the New World.

Hollywood Drops Its "Pretty Dolls"

Radio's "Typical Old Maid" Is Mighty Amusing Fellow

So "Tizzie Lish" Has to Refuse Proposals

By NORMAN SIEGEL

THE OLD MAID ain't what she used to be. The traditional spinster who led a secluded life with her pet cats and memories of love affairs that didn't jell, has become as popular as Mae West at an American Legion smoker. Bill Comstock of the Al Pearce programme is responsible for the transformation.

Bill is radio's "Tizzie Lish," the typical old maid. Tizzie is tall, gawky, coy, romantic and gossipy, with a high-pitched giggle. She airs fantastic cooking recipes and puts her friends through muscle-bound setting-up exercises. She chews gum incessantly and labors under the delusion that some five or six thrilling men are in love with her.

Yet "Tizzie," in spite of her ways, is a knockout with radio fans. They're always sending her gifts, letters, valentines, clothes of all sorts from silk stockings to expensive fur pieces, and jewelry. She has also received at least a dozen real proposals of marriage.

Bill Comstock, below, wears a get-up he borrowed from his wife to play Tizzie Lish, left, radio spinster.

Charlie McCarthy and Andrea Leeds, embracing below, providing the love interest on a Sunday broadcast.

TAKEN FROM LIFE

Bill Comstock's "Tizzie," who cavorts on the Columbia airwaves every Tuesday night at 9.15, is a composite of his falsetto voice, an outlandish outfit and the memory of a real woman. The original inspiration for his "Tizzie" was a cooking expert Bill used to listen to on the air. He thought her style so unique he began mocking it.

Even today "Tizzie" still uses many of the phrases coined by the cooking expert, who has since given Bill permission to impersonate her on the Al Pearce show. One of the most famous is "Good morning, folks, are you ready for lots of goodies?"

BORROWED WIFE'S CLOTHES

"Tizzie" hasn't always posed in women's clothing. In the old days Bill used to get himself into the mood without the aid of a costume. He finally was forced to dress up for a personal appearance at the popular Coconut Grove in Los Angeles. He found that "Tizzie" improved so much behind a hat and a polka-dotted veil that he has worn her outfit since.

Her outfit is the same as the one Bill first adopted for her. He hastily borrowed it from the girl who is now his wife. "Tizzie" still wears the same black, tight-fitting skirt, hat, veil, the brown cotton stockings and the brown drop-earrings she lent him. He even wears the same feather boa. It once was white, but from long usage it has become practically black. He does not bother to have it cleaned.

RADIO SHORTS

NEXT of the Hollywood movie studio shows will feature Warner Bros. stars in a radio tie-up with the sponsor of the "Hit Parade" programme. Dick Powell, singing star, will M.C. the programme, which will be broadcast over N.B.C. on Wednesday nights, immediately following Fred Allen's Town Hall.

Adolphe Menjou and his wife, Verree Teasdale, who have been guestarring on the airwaves lately, have been signed for a mike fling with Charlie McCarthy, December 5.

Walter O'Keefe, who kept the Town Hall open for Fred Allen during the summer, has been signed to co-star with Lanny Ross on the Hollywood Mardi Gras show, starting January 4.

Lotte Lehman sings with Andre Kostelanetz's orchestra.

Dr. Frank Black, conductor of the orchestra on the Monday night N.B.C. concert programme, has been signed for another 52 radio weeks.

Reason you haven't been hearing Jeanette MacDonald on her Sunday night programme, is that she is off the air on location in the Canadian Rockies for scenes in "The Girl of the Golden West," her next feature film.

Margaret Shanna, of Columbia's "Arnold Grimm's Daughter" cast, was married to Elliott Woodruff, Chicago business man, early this month.

By ALICIA HART

IT TAKES more than a pretty-pretty doll face, wide eyes and curly hair to get by in Hollywood these days. Personal magnetism (call it scintillating personality, if you'd rather), a pleasant voice, poise and fine diction are infinitely more important to the modern screen actress than the shape of her mouth or nose, even the shade of her skin.

Dario Rappaport

And that, according to Dario Rappaport, the world-famous portrait painter, is something which should give beauty-minded women pause for thought. The Viennese artist, who has painted such personages as Georges Clemenceau, Pope Pius XI, Mussolini, Frank B. Kellogg and dozens of other well-knowns, has, for the last three years, lived in Hollywood among the stars.

"Makeup artists can paint away hollows, put in shadows, in fact, perform veritable miracles with powder and grease paint. If a young actress has talent and personality, her managers worry little about her appearance. If she hasn't, they know there's not much use in worrying about anything concerning her."

Luise Rainer . . . a star whose success is due entirely to personal magnetism, a pleasant voice and fine speech.

According to Dario Rappaport, Katherine Hepburn's dynamic personality makes her a glamour girl, but not a beauty.

As examples of what he means by the statement that personality, voice and speech—not perfect features and wavy hair—add up to success, Mr. Rappaport points out Katherine Hepburn, Luise Rainer, Sylvia Sidney, Bette Davis.

"Not by any stretch of the imagination could Katherine Hepburn be called a pretty girl," the artist continued. "She couldn't get by on her beauty for 30 seconds. What Miss Hepburn has, never was found in a box of grease paint.

"And Luise Rainer. Why, she isn't even faintly good looking, let alone pretty. But she has an active mind, knows how to buy and wear becoming clothes. And she's alive, vivacious."

Mr. Rappaport thinks that Bette Davis and Sylvia Sidney are almost homely. No amount of makeup could make either of them great beauties, he says. Yet they are important stars. They have real ability, plus personality of "what it takes."

The artist then spoke of American women, comparing them more than favorably with women of European countries. He says the way Americans are able to retain a youthful appearance through the years is nothing short of amazing. Also, that our habits of cleanliness are something the rest of the world would do well to imitate.

"It may be indelicate of me to say so," Mr. Rappaport smiled, "but I think the great American habit of bathing and bathing and bathing is the very foundation of American beauty. Scrupulously clean—that's what all of you are. Then, too, you eat less than Europeans and you exercise more. The combination of the three makes for healthy, lasting beauty!"

Sylvia Sidney isn't even pretty, let alone beautiful, but she has "what it takes" to be successful in motion pictures these days.

Joe Delfino Supplies Sound Effects

Taps Rubber Sink Plungers Together for the Sound of Horses' Hoofs

By PAUL HARRISON

HOLLYWOOD.

NOW CLOSE your eyes and tell me what you hear," said Joe Delfino, standing in the most cluttered room on the 20th-Fox lot.

"Well, that's a running brook. And I hear a horse in the distance; he's coming nearer. He's crossing a bridge now. A gate creaks and slams; there are footsteps and a knock at a door."

"Right!" said Delfino. "And here's how it's done. This roller in a box of ground cork sounds more like water than the real thing. On a sound track, running water sounds like escaping steam. These rubber sink plungers, tapped together, are the horse's hoofs. I changed to coconut shells for the bridge. This rusty hinge was the squeaky gate; best thing I've found for that. The wooden shoe, tapped with a mallet, is fine for door knocking. It has so many thicknesses I can get the right sound for any weight of door."

For many of the sound effects which you hear in movies, studios secure film tracks of the real things. But there are dozens of noises, such as running water, which sound artificial unless they are artificially produced. Microphones pick up vibrations which the ear ordinarily wouldn't catch. They make the ticking of a watch sound raucously metallic. Frying food sounds like a high-pressure water jet. So for a watch, Delfino uses a small pendulum which taps a piece of movie film. For frying, he crumples cellophane.

HE BOPS HIMSELF

JOE, UNDER his white hair and in his spotless laboratory coat, is a dignified technician. So conscientious is he that when they want the thud of a falling body he takes the tumble himself. And he keeps a boxing glove with which he bops himself in the face for fight sounds.

His sound effects department is a study in orderly confusion. Hundreds of whistles, drums, gongs and bells—bells of every type of train, boat and belfry. Has tuned gongs made from automobile brake drums. Some of his church bells are circular saw blades.

Joe doesn't use the large sheets of tin with which oldtimers of radio and the movies made thunder. Too metallic; he prefers sheets of basswood. When it comes to a wind, Joe and his blowers and whirling contraptions can give you anything from a zephyr to a hurricane, and his haunted house winds are so real you can almost see the bats.

Joe is conscientious. When a film player gets socked, Joe bops himself on the chin as above, for the sound effect. At the left he is running a clattering trolley with his right hand and "crashing" it with the churn full of sound at his left.

ANIMAL SOUNDS ARE HARDEST

NOW HANG onto this strap and take a street car ride," said the maestro. He began cranking a machine with steel wheels which run on a steel track—and with a bump for the rail joints. He even rattled a long coil spring which sounded like a trolley on its wire.

Suddenly he yelled in warning. There was a screech of brakes and a crash. Delfino has a noisy brakedrum mounted on a board, but he also can make the sound by rubbing an inverted water glass on a window pane. The crash occurred in a big steel churn half filled with scrap iron.

His hardest jobs are the imitation of animal sounds, and he nearly went crazy when the studio made "Zoo in Budapest." Dog barks are a cinch—just a matter of tin cans and resin on strings. Bird calls are easy, too—he has a complete set of whistles and chirpers.

The filming of "Thin Ice" kept him busy for awhile figuring a way to imitate the crisp sound of skates. Finally solved it by scratching a pane of glass with pieces of celluloid.

Stunt Girls Now Organized

HOLLYWOOD.

IF YOU ever have a dangerous job that must be performed by a woman, call Gladstone 6519, Hollywood, and ask for Frances Miles. She'll arrange it for you, or do it herself.

If you want a girl to jump out of a burning building, fall from a galloping horse, change planes in mid-air or anything like that, Miss Miles knows plenty of people who'll risk their necks, and gladly. She's the president, organizer and chief participant of the Riding and Stunt Girls of the Screen, a club recently formed mostly for the financial protection of women who double for the stars.

The organization expects soon to include every stunt girl in the movie colony. Right now it has 51 members—women who can ride, drive stage coaches, do high dives, perform fancy falls and acrobatics, and train lions. The lion tamer is Mme. Olga Celeste, former circus star.

There are several ex-leading ladies of the flickers in the club, actresses who in their best days had doubles doing dangerous stunts for them. Best known is Helen Holmes, serial star of "The Hazards of Helen," and of Keystone and Kalem comedies. Then there are Helen Gibson, Hoot's first wife; Marin Sais, formerly Mrs. Jack Hoxie, and Frances Miles herself used to be a leading lady in westerns at Universal.

FRANCES MILES

PARADE OF CHAMPIONS

THE GROUP includes some champions — Olive Hatch, Southern California swimmer; Kay Tutwiler, 10-foot springboard champion, and Audrey Scott, the polo-playing horsewoman. Bonnie Greer is another—the gal who thrilled vaudeville audiences with rifle and pistol shooting, knife throwing and archery. She may need those accomplishments to protect herself, for she also plays six musical instruments.

Miss Miles has been smart in her organizing, and under her leadership the stunt girls have established a minimum of $35 for any sort of feat. That's a rock-bottom price; above it, the girls do their own bargaining. They have no set figure for falling down stairs, staging a fight, leaping off a building or boarding a train from a running horse.

"When a girl agrees with a producer on the fee for, say, tumbling out of a fourth story window into a net, she's calm and satisfied and doesn't have to jump over a mental hazard on the way down. She just goes up and jumps before she changes her mind."

When Miss Miles smiles she shows a small scar on one side of her chin. "Oh, that—" she explained. "That happened once when a director used real glass instead of sheet candy in the windows of a cabin where we were putting on a fight. We don't often get hurt in scraps, though, because when we have to depend on someone else to put over a stunt, as in a fight, we insist on stunt men who know how to handle themselves so we won't be badly hurt.

"We also use break-away furniture in battles like that. It hurts when it hits you, all right, but it comes to pieces and doesn't break any of our bones."

MOVIE GOSSIP

"Men With Wings," to be filmed for Paramount by William Wellman, with Fred MacMurray and Ray Milland heading a major cast, will be the first aviation epic in Technicolor.

Frank Lloyd, producer-director of Paramount's "Wells Fargo," with Joel McCrea, Bob Burns and Frances Dee, is the only three-time winner of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences' annual award.

The four Yacht Club Boys, currently appearing in Paramount's "Thrill of a Lifetime," composed a song for themselves in the film in three hours and 20 minutes, and Paramount's music department heads called it the best number yet composed by the comic song foursome, who sing only songs of their own composition.

Farm and Garden

Farm Flock Averages 227 Eggs

Saanichton Station's Wyandottes Set Laying and Weighing Records

By A. L. P. S.

THE DOMINION Experimental Station at Saanichton is proud of its White Wyandotte flock.

Through years of pedigreeing and line breeding A. S. Sansbury, station poultryman, has brought the annual production up until this year it reached the amazing figure of 227.3 eggs for every pullet.

Farm officials were astonished and slightly incredulous. E. R. Hall, assistant superintendent, checked and rechecked Mr. Sansbury's calculations and tabulations without finding an error.

Furthermore the average weight of the White Wyandotte flock, which is almost as important as its average production, had been raised to six pounds.

One of the pullets, sleek, box-shaped ROP 48076, laid 319 eggs, which is the largest number of eggs ever produced by a bird under record of performance at the farm.

EGG A DAY

Skipping Sundays this remarkable chicken laid an egg every day for a whole year. Its record is all the more extraordinary as it is really a heavy, meat bird, and not the light egg-machine of the White Leghorn type.

The Saanichton station only raises White Wyandottes. It is the general policy of the Dominion Department of Agriculture to have each of its stations concentrate on a single breed.

White Wyandottes have been losing popularity compared with White Leghorns and Rhode Island Reds. The work of the station should bring them back in public esteem.

Flipping through the records, Mr. Hall pointed out that 156 pullets had started in the laying houses and 146 pullets had completed their records. Ten casualties meant a loss of less than 10 per cent.

The six-pound average is a rise of more than half a pound in the last few years, which is quite a lot for a whole flock. As in the case of Jersey breeders, Wyandotte breeders are trying to put back some of the flesh which has been lost in high production.

The average weight of the eggs was 57.3 grams or 24.2 ounces, which puts them in the grade A large class.

FOUR SIRES

Most of the pullets which made the 227.3 egg average came from four sires. One of these, N2153, had 25 daughters in the contest laying an average of 236.8 eggs and weighing six and a half pounds each. Furthermore not one of his progeny died.

Mr. Hall pointed to the records of N2980, a two-year-old cock. Last year 58 of his daughters entered the laying houses, 50 coming out with an average of 231.6 eggs. This year 66 of his daughters went into the pens, 61 coming out with an average of 231.6 eggs.

This is an indication of the point to which Mr. Sansbury has carried his line breeding. Starting with half a dozen island birds in 1914 he has developed the strains within the flock to such a high degree of purity that crossing them has almost the same effect as crossing two different breeds.

And every poultryman knows the high qualities which are produced in a first cross.

This year was Mr. Sansbury's triumph. The average annual production was fully a dozen eggs above last year.

The Dominion Experimental Station flock, beside the 150 pullets, has about 60 hens and 25 cocks and cockerels. The whole flock is one R.O.P. and R.P.T. To be eligible for the latter (Record of Progeny Test) every chicken must have at least two registered dams behind it.

A typical White Wyandotte from the R. O. P. and R. P. T. flock at the Dominion Experimental Station, Saanichton.

Rodents Cost U.S. $200,000,000 Year

MAN'S greatest enemy in the animal world is the common brown or house rat, says Dr. Arthur Gibson, Dominion entomologist. The destruction done by this rat to foodstuffs, such as grains, meats, groceries, fruits and vegetables, eggs, poultry and to the foundations of buildings, represents an enormous figure in Canada. An official of the United States Biological Survey has computed that in the United States the destruction caused by rats and mice is over $200,000,000.

As an indication of the remarkable fecundity of the common brown rat, Dr. Gibson states that it breeds from 6 to 10 times a year and an average litter numbers 10.

At this rate a pair of rats, breeding uninterruptedly and without deaths would at the end of three years (18 generations) be increased to 359,709,482 rats.

In addition to the enormous destruction of food and materials caused by the brown rat, it is a very serious menace to public health, for it carries disease.

To control rats they should be denied access to places where they obtain food and rear their young. An effective way to do this is to make buildings rat proof and concrete as a material of construction is the best for the purpose. Special attention should be paid to the closing of all apertures, especially in foundations where drain and other pipes enter, in order to keep the rats out.

Doors to buildings should be bound with strong sheet metal. The holes of rats or mice can be readily filled with a little concrete, broken glass or crockery. Trapping is one effective method of destroying rats. The best traps are those of the spring or guillotine type, and should be baited with meat, fish, oatmeal, cooked eggs or fruit. The wire cage trap is also good, especially where the rats are abundant.

POISONING

Poisoning is another method of speedy destruction, but the greatest care must be observed in the use of it. Barium carbonate is a cheap, tasteless and odorless poison. It may be mixed in dough composed of 4 parts of meal or flour and 1 part of poison. Water should be added, when necessary, to make the bait moist. The poisoned dough should be placed on the runways of the rats.

In recent years a poison known as red squill, obtainable through drug stores, has been used effectively. It has the advantage over other commonly used poisons in that it is relatively harmless to humans and domestic animals, but, when properly applied, is highly toxic to rats. Chopped fresh fish, canned fish, freshly ground meat and cereal, such as oatmeal, corn meal, or bran, are recommended as baits.

Mix one ounce of powdered red squill with enough water to make a thin paste without lumps and add this to one pound of the fish or meat and mix thoroughly. In making a cereal bait, mix one ounce of dry red squill with one pound of cereal and then add one pint of sweet milk or water, stirring thoroughly. It is recommended that fish, meat and cereal baits be used at one and the same time to ensure that all the rats are attracted and eat of the poisoned material.

Before distributing the baits an attempt should be made to remove or cover, in so far as possible, other sources of food available to the rats. The bait should be put out in later afternoon, in small portions about the size of a marble, in and about the places frequented by the rats. After the lapse of three days uneaten baits should be collected and destroyed.

If, after an interval of three weeks surviving rats are seen, identical baits should be distributed at intervals of two days, but without the addition of red squill. When it is observed that these baits are being eaten all uneaten portions should be removed and fresh poisoned baits should be distributed. This procedure should result in a satisfactory clean-up of the rats.

Young B.C. Farmers Win at Toronto Fair

TEAMS from Alberta, British Columbia, Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick won first places in the national contest for the Boys' and Girls' Farm Clubs held recently at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto.

There were 31 teams entered in the six projects, which the contests embraced, four teams from each of the provinces except Alberta and Quebec, each of which sent three teams and Prince Edward Island one. There were 56 boys and six girls in the 31 teams, who as a reward for efficient club work throughout the year and also because they were winners in the district and provincial contests were taken to the Royal Winter Fair for the national contests with all expenses paid.

The winning teams, with the members and the scores they made out of a possible 1,200 follow:

Dairy cattle—Quebec; Howick Dairy Calf Club, Donald Templeton and Douglas Templeton of Riverfield; score 967.

Beef cattle—Ontario; Ilderton Beef Calf Club, Newton Hall, and Clinton Irwin of Ilderton; score 1,048.

Swine—Alberta; Libert Swine Club, Howard Fulcher of Millet, and Robert G. Ferguson of Conjuring Creek; score 1,029.

Poultry—New Brunswick; Sussex Poultry Club, Annie Waterston of Sussex Corner, and Robert McLeod of Penobsquis; score 986.

Seed potatoes—British Columbia; Poplar Potato Club, Robert Hazlett and Ray Green, Abbotsford; score 1,054.

Seed grain — Grande Prairie Grain Club, Albert Allsop and Lloyd Rigby of Wembley; score 1,072.

(Albert Allsop is a brother of Jack Allsop of Wembley, Alberta, who won the wheat championship at the International Grain and Hay Show, Chicago, in 1934, on Reward Wheat.)

At a dinner given on the opening night of the Royal Winter Fair by the president and directors of the fair, at which all the members of the 31 teams were guests, the winning teams in the projects of the national contests were presented with trophies by Dr. G. S. H. Barton, Deputy Minister of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

The judges of the contests were officials of the Dominion and provincial department, agricultural colleges, the agricultural department of the Canadian National Railways and the Canadian Seedgrowers' Association.

The boys and girls, whose ages ranged from 16 to 20, traveled to and from Toronto under adult supervision. The eastern teams were in charge of E. F. Pineau of Caraquet, N.B., senior fieldman, livestock branch, Dominion Department of Agriculture, and the western teams were under the care of G. H. Sugden of Winnipeg of the agricultural department of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Arrangements for the trip and the contests were made by A. E. MacLaurin, general secretary, Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Club work. During the week the teams were taken on tours of packing house and seed plants in Toronto and to Hamilton and Niagara Falls.

There are now 2,386 boys' and girls' farm clubs throughout Canada with a total membership of 35,141.

Hog marketings for the month of September, 1937, were about 5,000 hogs per week below the marketings for the corresponding month in 1936. A sharp reduction occurred in the three prairie provinces, where only 80,435 were marketed as compared with 114,766 in the province of Ontario. Notwithstanding reduced marketings, the province of Alberta recorded a new high in quality, grading 29.2 per cent selects.

Marketings in the province of Saskatchewan were about the same in September, 1937, as in the corresponding month of 1936, but the quality reflected drought conditions and a tendency to liquidate.

Garden Hints For This Week

The principle work in the garden, at this time of the year is that of preparation. Get as much of it done as possible, for, in spite of the fact that winter is here, spring will not be long in returning.

Perhaps it is not always wrong to leave the digging until spring especially when the soil is of a sandy nature.

Manure dug into light soils during fall and early winter is likely to be washed or leached out.

Probably a green cover crop, to dig in during the early spring months, would be of more service.

Of course the winter frosts break up soil and mellow it. This applies principally to soil of a heavy or clayey texture.

The compost heap may consist of crop residues and house refuse. Keep the heap covered with soil and sprinkle a little lime over it occasionally.

A scientist has stated that in a tablespoonful of fertile soil there are as many bacteria as there are people in the British Isles—nearly 50,000,000.

Bees Fly Over 40,000 Miles For Pound of Honey

HONEY may be defined as a flower food because flowers are the only sources from which it can be obtained, and to collect one pound of it, millions of flowers must be visited and approximately 40,000 miles traveled.

Honeybees gather the nectar from the flowers, drop by drop, and each bee carries about 1-10,000th of a pound on each trip to the hive. As the nectar is carried to the hive, it is stored in waxen combs and there most of the moisture is evaporated. In addition, certain chemical changes take place whereby the ordinary sugar of the nectar is transformed into two invert sugars—levulose and dextrose. It is because of these changes that honey is such a valuable food.

Honey from different flowers varies in color and flavor. This is a wise provision in that it provides a honey of suitable flavor to every taste. Habit plays a big part in personal likes and dislikes. For example, name the kind of honey a certain person prefers, and it gives a clue to the predominant type of honey produced in the district in which that person was brought up.

Honey is available in two forms, comb and extracted, the only difference being that extracted honey has been removed from the comb in which the bees stored it. All Canadian honey granulates sooner or later, but granulation does not detract from its quality.

To enjoy honey best, it should be eaten in its natural state. Spread on hot biscuits or toast, it is delicious. As a sweetener for the breakfast cereal, it is unsurpassed. It may also be used to replace sugar in many recipes for cooking, canning and preserving.

Good Demand For Canadian Horses

Canadian horses of the saddle type are proving eminently satisfactory for constabulary work in the British West Indies. A shipment of 12 horses, 15.3 hands high, weighing approximately 1,150 pounds each and from four to six years old left Montreal on September 30 for the Trinidad Constabulary, being the fifth consecutive annual shipment from Canada that has been made to that island and Barbadoes.

The Live Stock Branch, Dominion Department of Agriculture state there is a good demand for Canadian-bred horses of the saddle and hunter types not only in Canada but in the United States and the British Isles at encouraging prices. Canadian draft horses are also finding a ready market both at home and abroad.

EARWIG MENACE IS DISAPPEARING

Progress Is Slow But Parasites Are Beginning to Show Results

By CERES

EARWIGS, which have been driving gardeners to distraction for the last few years, are decreasing.

Though he does not claim all credit for his imported earwig parasite, William Downes, Dominion entomologist and No. 1 earwig enemy in the province, feels that little dichonicheta setipennis, the diminutive fly whose larvae feeds on the innards of the garden pest, deserves some of the cheering.

The parasites are increasing naturally. At Sidney on Vancouver Island where the first 200 parasites were released in 1935 a large amount of earwig infection has been found.

As they predicted, scientists are finding progress slow. Aside from the obvious fact that the parasite will take some time to catch up with the billions of earwigs there are a couple of other hindrances to the elimination of the insect pest which have recently been unearthed.

EARWIG KNOWS

First of all the earwig shows little co-operation. He does not feel it but he seems to know when the parasite is on his body and does his best to scrape it off. Scientists have proved this by putting a parasite near an earwig and watching it "skiddaddle."

Also there is a tremendous mortality among the young larvae. Though many are deposited in places inhabited by earwigs, few reach their hosts in the 48 hours before they die.

The climate seems to be one factor in favor of this earwig control measure. The parasite can stand a much lower temperature than usually prevails on the coast.

R. Glendenning, entomologist at Agassiz, conducted experiments at Nelson which showed the parasite could stand temperatures as low as 10 degrees below zero. On the other hand he found that earwigs would die if exposed to more than 10 degrees of frost. Earwigs, however, are able to sustain such temperatures by burrowing deep into the earth.

MASS PRODUCTION

The production of parasites at the entomological laboratory just behind the Parliament Buildings has increased annually. There were 98,250 produced this year, compared with 63,200 in 1936, and 19,500 in the first year, 1935.

The increase is due to the development of a new "mass production" system. In previous years the earwigs were hand parasitized—each chloroformed insect being touched on to a parasite.

Now the anaesthetized earwigs are spread out on the bottom of a tray and the wriggling parasites which have been deposited on a white sheet of paper are scattered over them.

Of course this system does not insure every earwig being parasitized but the percentage, which has been computed at 76, is sufficiently high to warrant the use of this new labor-saving device.

Of the 98,250 parasitized earwigs produced this year 66,350 were released, mostly on the mainland. Of the remainder, 25,000 will be released next spring.

Weeds Found To Hitch-hike With Hitch-hikers

THE POPULARITY of automobile travel and the increase in the number of transients on railways and highways is reflected in the changing trend of introduced weed flora. Whereas formerly most new weeds were brought in by seed grain and railway shipments, nowadays some are also brought in by means of transients' packs and tourists' camping equipment.

These will be found to originate in districts along the better beaten lines of travel. The seeds are usually of the kind that are easily carried by clothing and bedding. Officials of the Dominion Experimental Station at Swift Current, Saskatchewan, have noted at least two important additions to the weed flora of that district apparently brought in by these means, downy brome grass and perfoliate peppergrass.

Downy brome grass is a very rapid-growing, profuse-seeding annual which was apparently introduced from Europe to Denver, Colorado, as packing material in a shipment of crockery. It has become a serious range pest in the northwestern States, British Columbia and Alberta, and is now invading southern Saskatchewan.

Infestations have been found in tourist camps and in spots along the railroads and highways where transients congregate, the easily shattering heads and the awns making it very easily transported by packs, tents or bedding. These awns also make it very obnoxious to livestock by irritating the mouth and gums in the same manner as wild barley. Downy brome grass is of very meagre forage value, and its light, feathery heads constitute a serious fire hazard. Steps, therefore, should be taken to arrest the spread of any patches found by mowing and burning before the seed has shattered, or, if in cultivated fields, by early and thorough cultivation.

The perfoliate peppergrass is also an annual introduced from Europe. It is quite common in the western States. It was virtually unknown in Canada until a considerable infestation, possibly brought in by transients' baggage, was discovered this summer along the highway and railway east of Swift Current.

This plant is easily mistaken for stinkweed, but may be distinguished by its leaves, which are finely dissected on the lower part of the stem, gradually changing to clasping and almost perfoliate leaves higher up. The seed pods resemble the common peppergrass, but the seeds are considerably larger and shatter very early, making the spread of this weed very rapid, rivaling that of stinkweed. Early shallow cultivation to germinate seeds and subsequent shallow working to destroy young plants is recommended for this weed.

Red Clover Seed Short in Canada

Production of red clover seed in Canada for 1937 is estimated at barely 1,000,000 pounds, as compared with 2,000,000 pounds in 1936 and 4,500,000 pounds in 1935. This supply of domestic seed is located mainly in Ontario and the Fraser Valley of British Columbia.

This means that there will be a decided shortage of domestic seed next spring, and that seedsmen will need to draw supplies from other countries for meeting Canadian requirements estimated at 4,000,000 pounds. While red clover seed of other origins is not as hardy as the domestic product, it is, however, sufficiently hardy to give fair results, provided it comes from northern countries such as the northern United States, the United Kingdom and countries of northern Europe.

Union Meets In Vancouver

The annual meeting of the B.C. Field Crop Union, which will be held in Vancouver on Tuesday, will be addressed by Dr. R. E. Hodgson, dairy husbandman of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Dr. Hodgson, who is located at the Western Washington Experimental Station at Puyallup, will speak on the "Preservation and Utilization of Roughage Crops With Reference to Artificial Drying."

Regular Workouts Ward Off Poundage

Sunday Morning Breakfast

THE DAUGHTER of the family was late coming down to Sunday morning breakfast. She smiled and greeted the others as she slipped into her seat at the table.

"Young man, where are your manners?" demanded Father, scowling at his son.

"Manners?" asked Fred, looking up from his sausage and eggs in surprise.

"When I was your age, I would have been severely reprimanded had I not risen from my seat and pushed my sister's chair under her when she came to the table.

"I don't know what is coming over young people these days. They no longer observe the little social amenities and the small niceties of behavior. You are growing up ignoring the little politeness which make social life differ from the life of the savages!"

"Why did you observe all those little amenities?" asked his daughter, interested.

"Why? Why? We did them because they were the proper thing to do!" said Father impatiently.

"But why were they the proper things to do?" persisted Lucy.

"Because they were!"

"Pop, that's where we have something on the ball that you didn't have in your day!" laughed his daughter. "You did those things because your mother taught you to do them, or because other well-trained folks did them. You never stopped to analyze why you did them, or why you did anything else.

"We pull things to pieces and see what makes the wheels go 'round. I will tell you that nine out of 10 of those little tricks of etiquette were done to show due deference to women. You had the darlings up on a pedestal. You acted as though they were superior beings, and you treated them as such. That was swell-egant for them as long as they could hold the pose, but they got mighty tired of being pillar saints and insisted on climbing down and taking part in the fun of life.

"Then Wife or Mother ceased to be the names of the lady wrapped in the snowy white robes of sanctity, a harp in one hand and a frying pan in the other. She stopped being a saint and a cook, and became a woman. She traded her harp for a ukulele, and her frying pan for a can opener.

"Darling, the lady on the pedestal found it difficult to get her arms around the neck of an ordinary guy down on the ground below her. He found it troublesome to climb up and kiss her. That's why she came down to his level, lit a cigarette, had her hair cut short, and taught him how to dance the Big Apple.

"The change in the little social amenities of which you speak, is not a change in men. It is a change in the ladies, heaven help 'em. When we go to cafes, we dance between courses, and that means that some one is always passing your table and chatting a moment. If the men at a table rose for each chat, they would spend the evening on their feet. The girls at a table, who may number anywhere from two to 20, are always getting up to dance, or dashing out to powder their noses, and the poor men would be bobbing up and down like a fisherman's float on a windy day if they rose each time one of the girls came or went.

"You generation used to take its hat off in elevators and give its seats to ladies in street cars. These days you are packed as sardine tight in elevators that a man can't get his hand up to his hat to lift it, and if he gets into a street car, he is lucky if he can find a place to stand, let alone a seat to give to a lady.

"The American Indian permitted his squaw to do all the work for him, and rewarded her with a clout to the side of the head from time to time. The pioneer who drove him back to the hinterland, went him one better. The white man's wife did only half of the work around the cabin and the clearing. The status of women gradually changed until a couple of generations ago woman was as badly spoiled as a Pekinese pup belonging to a couple of old maids.

"Just about then, woman found she had overplayed her hand. She is not and never was a saint. She did not enjoy her stand on the pedestal. She would rather be knocked around than ignored. She wanted to be a participant in things rather than an observer of them.

"Head waiters now find seats for women in restaurants, and shove chairs behind the procession so as to be there when the cheque comes. The only polite gesture a woman asks of a man these days is to reach for his wallet when it is needed!"

"I don't care what you say! I insist that it is a nice gesture to show women!" said Father.

"I pushed Mother's chair under her when we came in to breakfast!" said Fred defensively.

"And did not shove one under me!" said Lucy victoriously. "The boy has no reasoning power, but like other dumb animals, he has instinct!"

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The punching bag helps Joan Fontaine vary the exercise routine. It takes pounds off waistline and thighs, keeps arms firm, strengthens muscles that support the breast.

Avoirdupois Sneaks Up On You If Exercise Is Neglected

Lovely Joan Fontaine has a lot of fun and keeps slender and supple when she skips rope.

There's nothing like pingpong to take the place of golf and tennis in winter. The bending is good for the waistline, stroking the ball develops arms, chest and shoulders.

By ALICIA HART

IF WALKING from the house to the garage and from your doorstep to the nearest bus, subway or street car line are just about all the exercise you have had since last summer when golf, tennis or some other sport figured prominently in your life, better reorganize your daily schedule today. If you refuse to take a reasonable amount of exercise during the winter months, don't be surprised or upset if spring finds your figure pounds heavier and not exactly supple and graceful.

One who seems to be just naturally slender needs exercise as much as the woman who has to watch her weight most of the time. A stiff, graceless, thin figure is hardly more attractive than an overweight, stiff, graceless one.

Getting proper exercise during the winter months needn't be as tedious a business as it sounds. If you do setting-up exercises 10 minutes a day for one month and find that they bore you as much on the 30th day as they did the first, you might as well stop torturing yourself and look around for an exercise you enjoy. The appearance of your figure is important, but so is peace of mind. Some are not annoyed by routine exercises. Others definitely are. If you are among the latter, simply find a substitute.

Do you like to skip rope? If you haven't gone in for this sort of thing since you were 12, you may be surprised to find what fun it can be. Several important beauty salons recommend rope skipping. An amazing number of Hollywood stars have taken it up. Excellent for the figure, of course, and pretty good for a disposition which seems slightly sour along about this time of the year.

One young mother whose little sons have turned her attic into a gymnasium goes to that attic three mornings a week, puts on light boxing gloves and takes a good workout with a punching bag. Her figure, and her posture, too, have improved considerably.

Chinning yourself a few times every day, whether on the bars in your son's gymnasium, on the door in the kitchen or the rafters in the garage, will keep your arms from getting soft, flabby and overweight, eliminate that lump of flesh between shoulder blades, and, of course, strengthen the pectoral muscles which support the breasts.

If there's a rowing machine in the house, by all means use it. And if there's a badminton court nearby, do drop in and try your hand at the game. It's great fun, and it's wonderful for the figure, especially nips and waistline.

Fruit and Vegetables Combine With Ham

By MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX

HAM PRICES have leaped to the moon. But we can do something about it. Use a little less ham and a little more of the cheaper foods together. The result—ham on the menu and still some money in the bank.

Ham and Corn Pudding

(4 to 6 servings)

Two cups creamy canned corn, ⅓ cup whole milk, ¼ cup of chopped green pepper, 1 cup of chopped cooked ham, salt and pepper to taste, 2 eggs.

Mix corn, ham, peppers together. Beat eggs until light, add milk and beat again. Fold corn and ham mixture into egg mixture and combine thoroughly. Season. Grease casserole and turn in corn and ham mixture. Bake in hot over (400 degrees F.) for about 25 minutes, until firm to touch.

Veal is cheap while ham is high. Combine the two and the strike a happy medium.

Ham and Veal Pie

(4 to 6 servings)

One and a half pounds veal (weighed without bone, ½ pound ham, 2 large onions, ⅛ clove garlic, 1 green pepper, 2 large raw potatoes, cubed, 1 large carrot, cubed, 1 cup stale bread crumbs, mustard, salt and pepper, ⅛ teaspoon ground cloves.

Place veal in saucepan, cover with water; add spices and simmer until tender. Fry ham, then using ham drippings, fry chopped pepper, and onion, garlic. Strain veal, cut meat into large squares. Cut ham into equally large squares. Combine broth, veal and ham and add all other ingredients. Cover and simmer 1½ hours. Turn into baking dish and cover with pie pastry. Bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) for about 20 minutes.

A comparatively small slice of ham goes a lot farther when broiled along with slices of pineapple dusted with brown sugar, butter-packed prunes and sugared and buttered slices of sweet potatoes. These grills make handsome and delicious dinners. They may look like the work of your favorite restaurant chef, but they require no more than the broiler of your own kitchen stove and a little intelligent marketing.

Ham and Fruit Oven Grill

Four orange slices, ½ inch thick, 4 green-tipped bananas, peeled, 4 tomato halves, 4 individual pieces ham steak.

Place on greased oven broiler rack. Brush bananas with melted butter. Salt bananas and tomatoes. Broil for about 10 to 12 minutes with rack 4 inches under moderately high flame. Turn once. Serve on hot platter. Season with salt and pepper. Garnish with parsley, stuffed olives and lemon quarters.

Adventure for Macaroni

Old home week in the family baking dish—sliced apples meet macaroni, and onions and pork chops are glad to see each other again. A good time will be had by all. Just the dish for a cold night when the appetite is r'arin' to go places.

YANKEE DOODLE stuck a feather in his cap and called it macaroni. But if you stick a few strips of macaroni in a baking dish with pork chops and apples, you'll be too busy enjoying it to do any name-calling.

PORK CHOPS WITH MACARONI

Six to eight servings—One-half pound macaroni, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 cup apple slices, 4 or 6 pork chops, 4 or 6 slices onion, 1-16 teaspoon mustard, salt and pepper to taste.

Plunge macaroni into rapidly boiling salted water. Cook until tender, rinse with cold water and drain. Combine macaroni with apple slices (leave skin on apples to add color) and arrange in baking dish in layers, alternating with pork chops and onion slices. Before placing the chops in baking dish, have them fried lightly to turn a delicate brown. Bake dish in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for one hour.

Spaghetti and meat sauce is always a standby for supper parties, and especially for the bachelor girl cook who has small quarters and little equipment. Plunge the spaghetti into rapidly boiling water and cook until tender. Drain. Keep hot and combine with this husband-winning sauce.

Something Special in the Way of a Cake

BEFORE CHRISTMAS for many years I have received welcome letters asking for a fruit cake recipe "as good as the one you published in this paper last Christmastime."

This year I have something a little different. It uses some fruit in liquid form. It is surprisingly good and I hope you will try it.

Take a look at the photograph.

Christmas Fruit Cake

1 cup dried figs, 4 cups seedless raisins, 1 cup seeded raisins, 2 cups uncooked prunes, 2 cups sliced preserved orange peel, 3½ cups sliced citron, 2 cups halved candied cherries, 3 teaspoons cinnamon, 2 teaspoons allspice, 1 teaspoon cloves, 1 cup fruit nectar (apricot, peach - nectarine, plum, or peach), 2 cups (1 lb.) butter, 1 cup brown sugar (packed), 2 cups white sugar, 10 eggs, 4½ cups sifted all-purpose flour, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 3 cups coarsely chopped walnut meats, 2 tablespoons rum flavoring.

Rinse figs and raisins; drain and dry on a towel. Chip stems from figs and slice thin. Slice seeded raisins.

Pour boiling water over the prunes, cover and let stand 10 minutes; drain, dry on a towel, and cut from pits in small pieces.

Rinse peel, citron and cherries: drain and dry on a towel before cutting.

Combine fruits, peels, spices and nectar, cover and let stand about one hour. Cream butter, add sugars and cream thoroughly.

Add well-beaten eggs and mix. Add flour sifted with soda, salt and baking powder and mix thoroughly.

Add fruit mixture, nut meats and flavoring and mix until the fruits are well distributed. Pour into 2 tube pans (about 9½ inches) that have been lined with 3 thicknesses of wax paper.

Bake in a slow over (275 to 285 degrees F.) about 3½ hours.

Test with cake tester or toothpick before removing from oven.

Baked weight, about 9 pounds.

Too Much Money?

By STUDENT OF SOCIAL CREDIT

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AS THE quantity of money failed to keep pace with the continually increasing quantity of goods early this year, and was even withdrawn from the public and destroyed by credit curtailment, the fall in commodity prices, which we noted last week as having started in April, continued generally until September. Then the decline continued more sharply through October, and is still taking place.

POSITION IN OCTOBER

The position in October was approximately this: The United States government's deficit was in the neighborhood of $600,000,000, but a considerable amount of it would cause no creation of money, because a proportion has been financed by sale of bonds to the Social Security Fund and sale of bonds to private individuals. Money so secured would represent simply a transfer of purchasing power from citizens to the pockets of those citizens who got the money when the government spent it. The remainder of this running deficit, insofar as it was financed by sale of bonds to banks, would create new money to the same extent, to be pumped into the economic system when expended by the government.

But the money created by the banks in respect to this part of the deficit has been hardly sufficient to make up for the destruction of money to the extent of $355,000,000, brought about by their sale of bonds. Consequently the total volume of American money is somewhat less than it was last December.

MONEY AS A BUSINESS INDICATOR

On the other hand, we have seen that in the same period the production of both capital and consumers' goods has steadily increased. Aside from all other factors which might be involved, this fact alone is sufficient to account for the fall in commodity prices which has been taking place in the face of increasing production and much optimism. A stationary money volume and rising production spells lower prices; the whole situation is a fairly dramatic indicaation of the essential truth of the Quantity Theory of Money.

Now, in November, business is definitely slowing down. Production indexes are falling and unemployment is growing. Particularly noticeable is the decrease in capital investment; business men are losing their confidence, and it is on confidence as well as with money that they build additions to industry's producing capacity.

ANOTHER AMERICAN DEPRESSION?

The United States is conceivably on the verge of another major depression. The banking system is now showing, and quite naturally, a tendency to recall loans at a faster rate than it is making new ones, thus moving toward a further net decrease in the quantity of money. If this tendency is permitted to gain momentum, the money volume will decline at an accelerating rate, for, as has frequently been stated by Rt. Hon. Reginald McKenna, chairman of the Midland Bank of London and former Chancellor of the Exchequer, every new loan or purchase by a bank creates an equivalent deposit, thus increasing the quantity of money, while every repayment of a loan or sale by a bank destroys a deposit and consequently diminishes the quantity of money.

The prospects for the immediate future are made worse by the frequent announcements by President Roosevelt and members of his official family to the effect that they are going to balance the budget in the forthcoming year ending June 30. This means, if the promise is carried out, that the government's expenditures will be reduced until they are equal to its taxed income; that there will be no new money created by the banking system as a result of the government's sale of bonds, but that also the present running deficit, over $600,000,000, will have to be liquidated.

We are permitted to doubt that this promise will be kept, but it is probable that we may look for steadily worsening conditions for some months, unless either (a) the government turns a quick somersault, or (b) the present special session of Congress begins a new spending bee. If in the meantime bank lending to industry does not greatly increase, with new capital works under way and new money being pumped into the economy from this source, economic activity has one direction in which to go, and that is down.

DO BUSINESS MEN UNDERSTAND SITUATION?

The business men, who up to now, have been demanding government economy and the "balanced budget," will see their own budgets unbalanced by the results of the economy they have demanded. Under these circumstances any business man loses his passion for the financial orthodoxy with an increasing rate of acceleration. Screams for "reflation," that is more government spending, will rend the air. Even the bankers themselves, caught in the downward spiral of deflation which their policies to a great degree helped to bring about, will join in the chorus for the government to "do something," and the only thing the government can do is to spend more money and forget budget-balancing.

Added to this will be the pressure from millions of working men, professional and small business men, none of whom have knowledge of the factors that enable them to exist as economic entities, but all of whom have votes. They, too, will insist that the government "do something," and congressmen and senators with their ears to the ground and elections to come, will do the only thing they can do—provide before the New Year session of Congress ends for large expenditures of money.

If the situation by that time is serious enough, they will do this no matter what President Roosevelt or his financial aides think about financial morality or budget balancing.

RESULTS OF MORE SPENDING

When, as, and if this occurs, the result will be the same as in the period 1933-36; billions of dollars will be created by the banks in response to the unbalancing of the budget and their purchase of government securities. The debt of the government to the banks will increase by the same amount, although much of the newly-created money will be borrowed by the government on short-term notes and at interest rates which will, as J. M. Keynes forecast in his book, "The General Theory of Unemployment," tend toward zero. Business will begin to revive as soon as the receivers of the new money start to spend it and demand the goods and services which the productive system is, of course, always ready and willing to supply.

If the new money is created and spent at what might be considered the scientifically "right" rate over a given period of time, the fall of prices will stop and the price level will remain stable. If, as is more likely, the new money is introduced into the economic system at too fast a rate, prices will start to rise again.

Then, as the price rise gets under way, it can, and probably will, be accelerated by a swing toward private capital investment based on either savings or more newly-created money resulting from bank loans to business men and firms.

Altogether it would appear that the money-factors are and will be the deciding ones in the American situation for the next year. These may all be summed up as the rate at which either the government or industry, or both, borrow from the banking system, thus increasing the volume of money and their debt to the banks simultaneously. On this largely will depend the economic and social welfare of the United States in the near future.

THE UNTHINKABLE ALTERNATIVE

The alternative is scarcely to be thought of. It consists simply of the government withstanding political pressure and grimly balancing the budget, thus bringing on a sharp deflation, a genuine depression, and holding the sound finance fort until the business and producing systems have been liquidated down to where they fit more comfortably within their reduced money structure. This process would, of course, consist of liquidating the citizens as individuals. When the citizens had been well liquidated there would be just one direction for the economy to take, and that would be upward. The upward trend would be helped by the fact that the government would be, by that time, engaged in great expenditures for relief, thus starting the cycle all over again.

To Canadians the trend of events in the United States is of great importance. At the present moment the indicators show signs of following those now well established across the border.

Women Find Joy In Pleasing Men Of Their Dreams

By RUTH MILLETT

WOMEN can try too hard to please men. A man says "That blue is the color of your eyes." From then on the woman who adores him wears blue until the man wonders why her clothes are so uninteresting. Or perhaps he says, "That perfume smells nice," so she buys bottle after bottle of it.

He likes to play golf. Whereupon she takes up golf, even though she secretly hates the thought of hitting an undependable little ball.

He says, "Gosh, she's a knock-out!" after watching Myrna Loy on the screen—and for the next week she tilts her head to one side whenever she makes a whimsical remark.

He criticizes her and she tries to defend herself or else takes refuge in tears.

All that is true of one type of woman. Whether she is fifteen or forty, she is willing to throw her own likes and dislikes, her own beliefs and ideals overboard in order to become the kind of person she thinks the man she loves wants her to be.

And what of the man in the meantime? He is in love, too. In the beginning, at least. Does he wear yellow neckties because she likes yellow? Does he smoke a certain brand of tobacco because she thinks it smells nice? Does he take up golf because she spends her afternoons trying to cut down her score? Has he ever changed the part in his hair in the hope of looking a little like Robert Taylor, who she thinks is wonderful? When she criticizes, does he try to justify himself, or does he got out and slam the door behind him?

It must be a pretty disappointing experience for a man to fall in love with a girl because she seems different from anyone else in the world only to find that she is, after all, willing and eager to become any kind of person she imagines he wants her to be.

It must be rather disappointing to be that girl and as the years go by find yourself a shadow of a stronger, more unchangeable person. A shadow that even in your own eyes seems dull and uninteresting beside the women who have stayed themselves—in spite of love and passing years.

B.C. Archives Adventures

By REBY EDMOND

OUR INDIANS were opportunists.

When the first consignment of cattle arrived at Fort Camosun (Victoria to you) and were turned loose to graze on the lush grass outside the gates, there was a look of happy unbelief on the faces of the Cowichan braves who happened to be down here looking the white man over. Now the Cowichans, under Tsoughilam, were men of action who didn't believe in looking a gift horse in the mouth, or a Hudson Bay cow either, so they reached for their nice new guns, recently traded at this same fort, and, taking careful aim, dropped the animals of their choice with one shot apiece and then gleefully carted off the carcasses to their encampment where the squaws were already working out a menu.

They didn't bother to cover up their tracks, so that Roderick Findlayson, then in charge of the Fort, had no trouble in tracing the culprits.

THE ATTACK

He demanded an indemity in furs. The chief, forced to listen, seriously became annoyed. He called in Tsilalthach, the Chief of the Songhees and a few others from near by and together they confronted Findlayson, hurling at him such preposterous questions as "Whose land is this anyway?" and "Who are you to tell us what we can do in our own country?" Which dialogue should have been definitely embarrassing to these Scotchmen but wasn't. The Indians howled around the palisade for two days to work themselves up to the required frenzy and then made the attack. Findlayson turned a nine-pounder on a previously emptied lodge and blew it to kingdom come as a sample of what he could do if he felt so inclined. The Indian's yells now changed to ones of wailing, they thought their women and children must be blown to atoms. But Findlayson was a kind man and not a square inch of savage skin was scratched. In fact, they were all left miraculously intact to bring him furs in the future—and more immediately, the demanded indemnity in the present. And therein lay this man's genius. Never a difficulty arose with the natives but he handled it patiently and came out of it with an extra shipment of furs for the Gentlemen Adventurers Trading Beyond the Seas.

They didn't believe in looking a gift horse in the mouth.

WIVES TOUCH A NEW LOW

Not only were cattle killed by the Indians during this affair, but work horses and oxen, too. As this was the first time the Indians had seen animals trained to plough the fields, Mr. Bancroft, the authority on the doings of this period, says the attack on them by the Cowichans was made in fear—fear that such practices of training animals would spread. For what then would become the attitude of their squaws whose rightful duty it was to do such labor? They would become idle, lazy and two proud to work and they would so fall in value as to materially affect the wealth and standing of those possessing 6 or 10 wives.

Maybe that was the reason. Maybe, too, the Cowichans had the spirit of our present day Visiting Firemen or of an Elks Convention who pull down trolleys, carry off no-parking signs and play bridge between the street car tracks all with the feeling of wah-hoo and yippee! Who cares! No one knows us here!

HI-JACKING IS NICE WORK IF YOU CAN GET IT

The Songhees also had an eye to business. They were living at this time across the bay, having been "persuaded by Mr. Finlayson to leave their lodges along the beach near the fort after one of their fires got out of control and nearly wiped him out. Years later they were "persuaded" to move again, this time by parliament at a payment of $10,000 apiece for their reservation, but then Finlayson had no way for foreseeing this. But to go back to 1845 for the moment, the Songhees now found themselves encamped on a sort of Gibraltar guarding the Inner Harbor. Pensively they watched the Indians from the north and the south arrive with fur laden canoes and depart with cargoes of wonderful things like tin kettles and guns and looking glasses, and well—the temptation was too much. An idea, magnificent in its simplicity occurred to them. They stepped into their canoes and took to waiting beyond the point. The first big party of Indians to leave Camosum was headed for Bellingham Bay. There was nothing to it. The Bellinghams returned howling to the fort terrified for their lives and minus their trade.

Finlayson was annoyed. If these inspired hoodlums of the reservation weren't squashed promptly, all friendly Indians would cease to come to trade with him. He called in the Songhees chief, our friend, Tsilalthach (the same who so philosophically allowed himself to be baptised on the principle that he had to die anyway) and scolded him roundly. It might have been the force of Mr. Finlayson's personality, they say the Scotch can climb to fine heights of oratory when aroused, or it might have been the way he had of patting his nine-pounder which he demstrated once more by sinking an empty canoe at a goodly distance. In any case, Tsilalthach returned to the reservation, muttering to himself about these people who couldn't take a joke and the Bellingham Bay Indians left with their trade, happy once more and with a party of armed men from the fort as an official escort as far as Trial Island. It was a triumphant departure. It had style and the Bellinghams decided unanimously that there was no one they would rather trade with than Mr. Finlayson at Fort Camosun.

Merriman Talks

JUST IN case the subjects have slipped your memory, how would a column on trade treaties, national defence and unemployment insurance do this week? No. After the atmosphere of politics around this office for the last two weeks it has been hard to glean any light information about anything else.

All the stories I heard have had a political leaning. Someone was telling me, but I forget who it was, about the dear lady who lost her vote. She arrived in a car at the polling booth bright and early, but she took one look at the ballot. King Gordon, Mayhew, McKelvie, she read. Then she registered deep disgust. "I have heard all of them on the radio and I don't like any of them," she said. "I like Mr. Bennett best of all, and if his name isn't down I won't vote at all."

It is a queer thing about elections, no matter how many a newspaperman has to work on there's still a thrill in them, but I got a little fed up polling day. The polling booth for the district happened to be at the home of my friend Frank Baylis, next door. Some cards had evidently been sent out reading 350 instead of 330. When one or two people walked in by mistake it wasn't too much trouble to explain, but when they kept coming all day and one walked into the kitchen and demanded "What the so-and-so kind of service do you think you are giving a voter in this joint?" I'm afraid the test of courtesy was too great to stand the strain.

HARRY ATTENDS A MEETING

Speaking of misdirection, they are telling the story of how Harry Jealouse attended a political meeting at Oak Bay. Determined to hear all the issues and vote like a conscientious elector, Harry decided to hear each candidate once, but the day he went to hear Premier Bennett and Bruce McKelvie at Oak Bay his programme slipped. He sat in the theatre and waited. He enjoyed the picture and thought what a refreshing innovation it was to mix theatrical and political entertainment, and waited expectantly for the speakers to take the stage. Then the curtain went down, God Save the King was played, and Harry learned too late that the meeting was in the Oak Bay Theatre Hall, not the Oak Bay Theatre.

A LIGHT SANDWICH

From chatting with election candidates and other public speakers, I gather even the veterans in public life suffer a little from nervousness while they are on the platform awaiting their turn to speak. Most of them find it best not to eat heavily before a public appearance. It seems hard to believe, but Attorney-General Wismer suffered from this nervousness in his first campaign. He was advised to miss supper and have a light sandwich before he spoke.

"It made no difference," he informed his friend after the next speaking engagement.

"Did you go without supper?" his friend asked.

"Yes."

"Did you have a light sandwich just before the meeting?"

"Yes."

"Well, you should have been all right. What was the light sandwich, by the way?"

"Just a couple of hamburgers, a piece of pie and a few cups of coffee."

I don't think Mr. Wismer will feel his social standing is in danger by referring to his weakness for hamburger, but if he does it may interest him to know that both President Hoover and President Roosevelt posed for pictures eating hot dogs.

In case some public speakers might resent the suggestion that they are not so full of confidence that they could suffer from nervousness, the late W. J. Bryant, the late Teddy Roosevelt, Mussolini and Lloyd George are listed among the world's foremost orators who were jittery and as nervous as could be in the early phases of their speaking careers.

"It's a gift, whichever way you look at it, this ability to sway an audience with your command of words. A couple of weeks ago the power of lawyers to manipulate words so that nobody could understand them was referred to, but this week a reader sends one in that turns the palm over to the doctors. It happened in erudite Boston.

Said the attorney, "Now, doctor, in plain and simple language, please tell the jury just what caused this man's death."

"Well," said the medico, "in plain language, he died of edema of the brain that followed a cerebral thrombosis or possibly embolism, that followed in turn an arteriosclerosis, combined with the effect of gangrenous cholecystitis."

"Well, I'll be d——d!" muttered a juror, under his breath.

The judge turned to the juror and said, "Ordinarily, I'd hold you in contempt. But it happens in this case that I agree with you!"

This popping of flashlights has been an interesting innovation in the campaign this time for Victoria, but it's a bit unnerving for an ex-soldier unless he can always bear in mind the old comforting thought "It's one of ours." But photographing speakers is an old gag at that, and for the cameraman who misses his shot once in a while there may be some consolation in this, there's no photographic record of Abraham Lincoln delivering his immortal Gettysburg speech in existence. The official cameraman for the event took so long arranging his bulky equipment for the picture that Lincoln had delivered his relatively short address and was down off the platform before the latter got around to snapping the shutter.

But at that I'll bet his boss didn't say any more than the News Ed. here said because the cameraman failed to click on one or two shots at the Liberals' "Happy Days Are Here Again" rally at the Liberal Headquarters after the poll.

The House That Cost Too Much Jack to Build

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

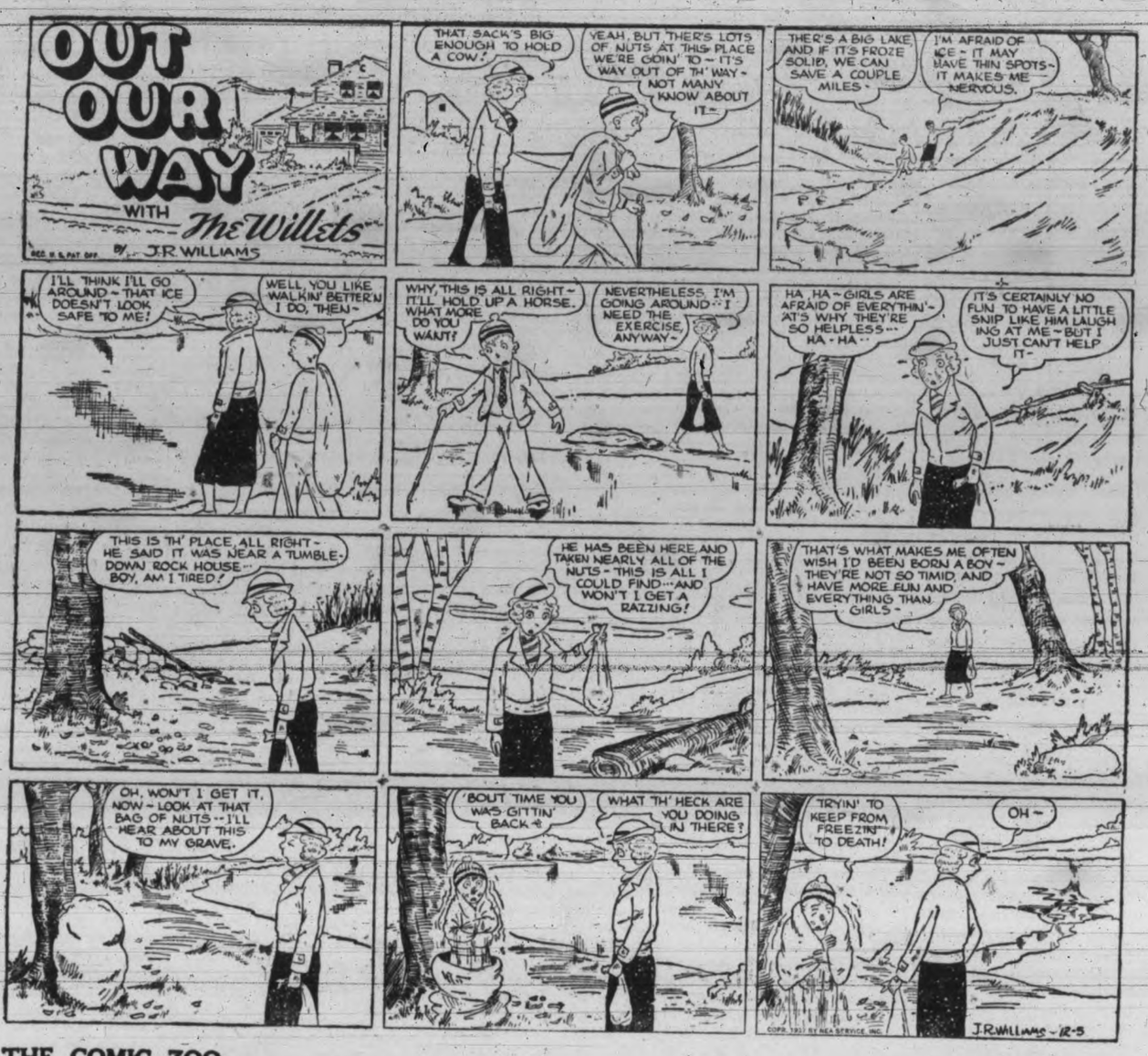
The Affenpinscher dog is of the toy type, and resembles a monkey more than it does a dog. Even its screaming is monkey-like. The breed is of German origin, and is little known in America, with only a few individuals to be found here.

Two of the three eyelids of a bird are much like our own, except that most birds use the lower one to close the eye, while we use the upper one. The third lid, the nictitating membrane, is inside the others and moves across the eye from side to side.

Scientists suspected that the planet Neptune existed long before it was discovered, due to the peculiar actions of the planet Uranus, which showed that it was being influenced by some unknown body. Curiously, two men, working independently, calculated the location of the new planet, and reached identical conclusions. It was found to be exactly where they predicted it would be.

OUT OUR WAY WITH The Willets

By J. R. Williams



THE COMIC ZOO

By Scarbo

Myra North, Special Nurse

By Thompson and Coll

Boots and Her Buddies

By Martin

Bringing Up Father

By George McManus

OUT OF THE NIGHT

BY MARION WHITE

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CAST OF CHARACTERS

PRISCILLA PIERCE—heroine, young woman attorney.

AMY KERR—Cilly's roommate and murderer's victim.

JIM KERRIGAN—Cilly's fiance.

HARRY HUTCHINS—Amy's strange visitor.

SERGEANT DOLAN—officer assigned to solve the murder of Amy Kerr.

Last Week: Harry Hutchins calls on Priscilla and is rebuffed when he intimates Kerrigan was behind the murder. Then as he leaves Cilly turns suddenly to her bedroom, begins rummaging through her lower bureau drawer.

CHAPTER 25

"THIS IS a surprise," Cilly said to the stalwart figure in the doorway. "I didn't expect to see you again today."

Sergeant Dolan peeled himself out of his dripping raincoat and hung it over the kitchen door.

"I didn't expect to be here," he commented. "Enjoy the picture?"

"Very much, thank you. Except that I missed some visitors by being out this afternoon."

Dolan looked at her shrewdly. "So they muffed it, eh? Well, I might have known . . ."

He walked into the living-room, looked around.

Cilly went about lighting the table lamps. It was growing dark quickly.

"So your afternoon was wasted?" she asked.

"As far as your apartment is concerned, yes. But we had much better luck in other quarters."

"Where?"

"At the Ralston."

Cilly started. The Ralston Hotel was where Jim lived.

"Did Jim leave a forwarding address at the Ralston?"

"No. He wasn't quite so considerate."

Cilly straightened a chair, sat down, a little fearful. "What did you discover then?" she inquired hesitantly.

Dolan leaned forward.

"Remember what I told you about the bonds stolen by Kerr's father from the Bluefields National Bank? That they were still missing? Well, we got $1,000 worth of them this afternoon in young Kerr's room at the Ralston. Funny thing about it—Martin searched that room thoroughly on Monday afternoon, but you know the old saying: if you want to hide something thoroughly, stick it right out where anybody can see it. That's what Kerr did. The bonds were out on a table, carelessly slipped into a magazine. Martin looked through every crack and crevice of that room, into bureau drawers and between the sheets. But he never thought of going through the magazine; that was too obvious."

"A little too obvious, it seems to me," Cilly retorted. "I'll bet someone put them there."

"Who? Kerr Sr. stole them; his son is here to dispose of them. I don't know what miracle of fiction you saw this afternoon, but don't ask me to believe that a vindictive, vicious cleaning-woman slipped those bonds into the magazine."

"I won't ask you to believe anything. You're determined to accuse Jim Kerrigan, and you've a one-track mind, sergeant."

"Not at all. But when all the evidence points to one man, we can't overlook him because a certain young lady has responded to his personality."

"All the evidence does not point to Jim."

"Ninety per cent of it does. Kerr's been traveling outside the law these past several months. Naturally, he didn't want you to know that, so to bargain with the girl not to tell, he asked her to meet him up on the roof, where he probably hoped, if she didn't come to terms, that she'd accidentally fall off."

"You told me she was strangled first. . . ."

"So she was. I didn't say he took her up there deliberately to kill her. They were pretty close to each other; perhaps he thought he could reason with her. Then suddenly he lost his head. The first thing he grabbed was a piece of clothesline. Then, frightened at what he'd done, he threw her off the roof, hoping it would look like an accident. I told you it's no new thing for this young man to run amuck. At the trial out in Bluefields they had several demonstrations of his wild temper. I've got the complete file on the Kerr case, if you want to come down and check up on it for yourself."

Cilly was staring out of the window, watching the rain beat against the glass. She turned, and looked Dolan calmly in the eye.

'Perhaps I will, some day," she said with deliberation. "If you ever indict Jim Kerrigan for this murder, I'll defend him. And I'll save him, Sergeant Dolan, in spite of you. There's nothing I won't do to free Jim. . . ."

Dolan frowned, surprised at the fierce promise in her words.

"It's not a question of what you can or will do, Miss Pierce," he reminded her. "A jury usually decides whether a man's guilty or not. And with the evidence I've got. . . . Wait! There's something else we found this afternoon at the Ralston."

He dug into his coat pocket, drew forth something wrapped in paper. He handed it to Cilly—a blue belt, a belt from a woman's chiffon dress.

Cilly stifled the cry that came to her lips, her eyes staring hypnotically at this new piece of evidence. The belt belonged to Amy Kerr's blue chiffon dress . . . the one she had taken up on the roof to air!

"You recognize it?"

Cilly did not, could not, answer. This was the last straw, she thought. This was the last link in the chain that was slowly, surely binding Jim to the murder. . . .

Her head spun madly; there was a wild throbbing in her temples, a choking in her throat. She tried to think of an explanation, but her thoughts were a whirlpool of horror and despair.

She was dimly conscious that Dolan was still speaking; she heard his voice, relentlessly pursuing: ". . . found it in the pocket of one of his jackets . . . probably wore it here. We have the dress down at headquarters. You remember the girl was holding it in her hand. . . ." But the words did not register in her mind.

Suddenly the throbbing in her temples gave way to a sharp, insistent ringing. Habit, more than understanding, forced her to her feet and propelled her to the telephone. Like a sleep-walker, she picked up the receiver, mumbled a mechanical "Hello."

"Hello! Hello, Cilly, darling!" Her heart stopped.

It was Jim's voice which came over the wire to her!

Jim was home again! Everything would be all right now. . . .

But would it? There was Sergeant Dolan, seated not six feet away, watching her like a cat. . . . Dolan who believed Jim guilty in spite of everything. . . .

Why, Jim wouldn't have a chance! Not now, with all this new evidence piling up. . . .

"Hello!" Cilly said again, mechanically, just to hold the connection. She was afraid to say more. Here was Jim, whose voice she'd prayed to hear every minute of the past few days, and she couldn't speak to him! All she could think of was that Jim must not come back yet. He could not be found until she could disprove some of the damning evidence against him. . . .

"Hello! Cilly, what's the matter? Can't you hear me?"

"Hello." She said it a third time, stupidly, tonelessly. Dolan would think it was a wrong number. . . . If only her knees would not shake so!

"Cilly!" Jim's voice again. "I just got in from Newark Airport. I'm at the Pennsylvania. I'll come right over. . . ."

Instantly, Cilly found her voice. The words tumbled from her lips, fast and decisive, before Dolan could get their full meaning: "You mustn't do that. They're waiting to get you, here in my apartment." She slammed the receiver back on its hook.

Dolan was on his feet immediately, fire in his eye.

"Who was that?" he demanded.

Cilly did not answer.

"So!" he shouted. "You have no idea where the fellow is, but he's near enough to keep in touch with you by telephone. Well, we'll take care of that, young lady. You're coming with me, as a material witness, and I'll put someone else in your apartment to take future messages."

Cilly paid no attention to his words. Let him arrest her. What did it matter? If only Jim would understand and keep away. . . .

CHAPTER 26

CILLY leaned helplessly against the wall while Dolan proceeded to give orders over the telephone to trace Jim's call.

Jim had phoned from the Pennsylvania Hotel. The operator verified that. He could get out and disappear into the subway in 30 seconds. She felt a subtle pleasure at having outwitted Dolan. He was so sure of himself, so positive of his theory. What did it mater to him that he was railroading an innocent man to jail; to the . . . to the electric chair! For the first time, Cilly caught the full significance of what Jim was facing. She held her breath as a new terror seized her.

Dolan was arresting her. There would be nobody to carry on for Jim . . . nobody to watch the Hunter man, or Harvey Ames . . . nobody to check on Carruthers, who also came from Utah. Dolan would forget all that.

Suddenly she faced Dolan, her eyes burning with indignation and terror and despair.

'Why are you so determined to accuse Jim? What about Harvey Ames? He had every opportunity and just as good a motive. What about Hunter? There are a dozen angles that you refuse to consider. What about Carruthers upstairs? We have proof that he came from Utah recently. . . . His trip to Bermuda might easily have been a blind, or he might have gone away to let someone else use his apartment. . . . What about the Elliot woman upstairs? Surely she's read about the case in the newspapers. Why don't you check on her?"

Dolan frowned in annoyance. "See here, Miss Pierce," he said irritably, "you may be a smart lawyer and all that, but I don't need you to tell me how to do my own work. We've checked every situation thoroughly. We've got the word of a dozen people who saw Carruthers off on the Monarch of Bermuda. I don't go ransacking people's houses unless I've got something on them. Come on, get a hat and coat on; you're going with me."

There were voices in the outer hallway. Cilly recognized them. A second later, her bell rang.

"O.K. Answer it," Dolan ordered.

Cilly opened the door to admit Mr. and Mrs. Perry, who lived next door in Apartment 1-B.

Mrs. Perry, a plump, neighborly little woman, held both hands out to Cilly in a motherly gesture.

"You poor dear!" she murmured. "We only heard about it today. I'm so terribly, terribly sorry."

Dolan stood in the living-room, taking in the situation.

"Come in, Mrs. Perry," Cilly urged. "Hello, Mr. Perry. This is Sergeant Dolan, from police headquarters. Mr. and Mrs. Perry are my next door neighbors, sergeant."

Dolan acknowledged the introduction with a brief nod.

"Oh, this is just too horrible for you, my dear," Mrs. Perry went on. "And to have it happen the minute your young man was called away. . . ."

Cilly's eyes widened. Dolan turned his shrewd glance on Mrs. Perry instantly.

"How did you know Jim was going away?" Cilly asked her.

"Oh, we met him that evening. Didn't we, John?"

"When was this?" Dolan asked abruptly.

"Just about midnight," Mrs. Perry stated mildly. "Yes, it was exactly midnight."

Cilly's heart bounded as a new hope dawned.

"Just how and where did you meet the young man?" Dolan asked quickly.

Mr. Perry seemed a little surprised at the sudden questioning.

"We met him two blocks further down, on St. Ann's Avenue," he related simply. "You see, we'd stopped in here a little after 11, wasn't it, dear? Miss Pierce had offered to look after our fish while we were away. Mr. Kerrigan and another gentleman were here. . . ."

"How did you know which was Kerrigan?" Dolan interrupted.

"Why, we had met him before. One Sunday afternoon, we met him with Miss Pierce down at Jones Beach. We all came home together. So of course when I saw him in such a hurry Sunday night, I was glad to offer him a lift. We'd got the car, and had a little bite down in the tavern, and then just as we started off, we saw Mr. Kerrigan, running toward the subway. He seemed in such a hurry. . . ."

"What time was this?"

"Exactly midnight. Remember, Mary, you remarked on it?"

"Yes," Mrs. Perry affirmed. "The steeple clock was just striking midnight. I teased Mr. Kerrigan about being in such a hurry to leave Priscilla, and he explained that he had to make a hurried trip out west. He didn't want to wait for trains, and there was a friend of his—a private pilot—who was leaving Floyd Bennett Field at 12.30 for Chicago. Mr. Kerrigan wanted to catch him, but of course because he was in such a hurry he could not get a taxi. So we drove him down to the flying field."

"You drove him to Floyd Bennett Field Sunday night?" Dolan repeated incredulously. He saw his carefully prepared case crumbling before him.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry nodded simultaneously. "And we got him there in 15 minutes," Mr. Perry said with pride. "Kerrigan's friend had just arrived himself. It was exactly quarter past 12. We waited around until they took off, and then we started for Fall River."

Cilly could have wept for joy. Jim had been down at Floyd Bennett Field at quarter past 12. Amy was killed at 12.20.

There was a lump in her throat as she grabbed Mrs. Perry's hands in both of hers. "Thank you so much for telling us that," she exclaimed. Then, trying to be casual in her explanation, she added: "You know everybody is under suspicion in a case like this until an alibi is established."

Mrs. Perry nodded smilingly. She did not understand why Mr. Kerrigan, Priscilla's special young man, needed an alibi. But she did not say so.

"Well, we'd better take the goldfish and run along," Mr. Perry suggested. "If there's any way we can help, sergeant, we'll be right next door. . . ."

As the door closed behind the Perrys, Cilly turned to Sergeant Dolan. She could not hide the gleam of satisfaction which lighted up her eyes.

"Well, sergeant, do you still want to hold me as an accessory?"

Dolan slumped into a chair wearily.

"I guess not. Their story rang true enough . . . and we can always check on it." He looked up at Cilly, smiled a little crookedly. "Well, it begins to look as if there might be some grounds for this faith of yours in the young man. . . . Say, tell me the truth now, will you?"

"Of course, I haven't lied to you yet, but you won't believe me."

"Was tonight the first time you'd heard from Kerr—or Kerrigan—since Sunday?"

Cilly hesitated. Should she tell him about the postcard. It didn't matter now, since Jim was cleared.

"No. I received a postcard from him on Monday, saying merely that he'd been called suddenly to Utah. I didn't hear another word from him until he called just now."

"What did he say?"

Cilly smiled. "If you remember, I didn't give him an opportunity to say very much. Only that he'd just got in from Newark Airport and was on his way over here."

Dolan looked at his watch.

"Well, I've got to hustle and check on some of these other angles you've been harping on. If he gets in touch with you again, will you ask him to see me immediately at headquarters? His testimony is still mighty important."

"I'll do that, sergeant."

"Thanks. I hope we'll be working together from now on, Miss Pierce. Sorry about everything."

After Dolan left, Cilly made up her mind as to what she was going to do. There had been altogether too many stones left unturned in this house since Sunday night.

CHAPTER 27

CILLY went into the bedroom and picked up the little gadget for which she had searched through her lower bureau drawer. It was a small dressmaker's awl, used years ago by her mother for marking out patterns. All along it had been a perfectly useless thing; Cilly kept it only against the possibility that it might come in handy sometimes. This was the time.

The little gadget not only marked off patterns very nicely, but a long time ago Cilly had found that it cut glass without any effort and without any crash or splintering. It was going to serve that purpose now, for Cilly was going housebreaking.

Sergeant Dolan might have his compunctions about ransacking other people's homes, as he put it, but Cilly did not share them. Her best friend had been murdered, and now, although Jim was out from the shadow of guilt, the murderer was still at large. If he were not one of the ments where he might hide out very nicely.

The first was Mrs. Elliot's. It was curious about her. For an old lady, she showed very little interest in a neighborhood sensation. She must have seen the glaring headlines in the newspapers; Connection was not far away. She must have recognized the pictures of her own apartment house, even if she did not intend to read the story. Then why hadn't she come back?

Or could it be possible that she knew a great deal about the affair, and that she wanted to remain in hiding? If so, there should be some indication of that in her apartment. Cilly meant to find out.

It would be very simple. The fire escape from Cilly's bedroom led directly to the bedroom above. There was no street light outside the bedroom. She could very easily climb up without being noticed, for the trees outside would hide her completely. More than that: the rain which had come down in torrents all day had settled to a drizzle now, and there was a thick fog coming in from the ocean. It was a perfect night for a second-story job.

Cilly felt more elated over the adventure than frightened. True, she had never broken into anyone's house before, but some sixth sense promised her that she would discover the secret to the entire mystery tonight. It had to be in one of the apartments above; if not in Mrs. Elliot's, then in the Carruthers' on the third floor.

She wrapped herself in her dark raincoat, then pulled the waterproof hat down over her hair. The dressmaker's gadget she slipped into her pocket, then turning out the light in her bedroom, she quietly opened the window and let herself out on the fire escape. She closed the window behind her, to keep the rain out of her own room, but she very carefully left it up from the bottom about one inch. That was room enough to slip her fingers underneath and open it again from the outside, should she come back by way of the fire escape.

The flimsy iron framework shook as she put her full weight on it, and for one terrible instant she feared that it would not hold her. But apparently it was strong enough. Slowly, step by step, she climbed to the floor above, carefully feeling her way lest she slip on the wet metal. Eight steps took her halfway up, then she turned on the small platform to ascend the second half of the flight. It was like walking on greased glass.

She hesitated a moment as she finally reached the window of Mrs. Elliott's bedroom, and tried to pierce the gloom within the room. True, there might be a murderer hiding in there, under the bed, or in the clothes closet at the side. But Cilly did not think so now. Fearlessly she peered through the window only to get a glimpse of the room's layout. Then she took the dressmaker's tool out of her pocket.

Very carefully she cut a semi-circle in the pane of glass directly above the window's latch—just enough so that she could slip her fingers through and unlatch the window. Some day, she thought with a smile, she would confess to Mr. Johnson and offer to pay for the broken window pane.

The small semi-circle of glass fell to the floor within the room and splintered with a resouding crash. But it could not have been heard anywhere except in the apartment below, and that was her own. Cilly unlocked the window and raised it slowly. An instant later she slid over the sill, careful not to tread on the broken glass at her feet.

She wished she had brought a flashlight, but she did not own one. She looked carefully at the window shade. . . . Good! It was as she had hoped. The windows were equipped with two sets of shades, light and dark, for this apartment faced the south and the sun shone in brightly all day. She pulled down both sets of shades; now she could turn on the light with little fear of being seen from the outside.

In the full glare of the overhead fixture, the room looked bare and cold. It lacked the cosy homeliness one usually associates with old ladies' rooms. There were no magazines on the end table, no intimate snapshots of nieces or nephews or grandchildren, no snuggly cushions.

Cilly started on the chest of drawers. One after another she opened each drawer, and her eyes widened in amazement. They were entirely empty! There was not even newspaper covering on the bottom. Had Mrs. Elliot moved out completely, bag and baggage, as had Mrs. Wheeler?

Next she looked into the clothes closet. Would this too be empty? But no, there were clothes here. Typical old ladies' clothes. A black silk dress, of no particular style. A plain cloth coat, of a slightly rusty black. A muslin slip, hung on a wall bracket. Black oxfords, very large black oxfords, looking not unlike a pair of man's dress shoes, lay on the floor.

Cilly looked again. Surely there must be something else . . . this was only one complete outfit. Did Mrs. Elliot have no other clothes? And where were her underthings, her house dresses? She opened the door wider, to see deeper into the closet. . . .

Here was something. Another coat, it appeared. Cilly brought it out to the light. Why, it was a man's coat! A man's topcoat!

Cilly felt suddenly panic-stricken. Here was the solution to the mystery. Here in Mrs. Elliot's apartment. This was where a man had been hiding out . . . and Mrs. Elliot must have known him, else he would not have the temerity to hang his topcoat in her closet.

Mrs. Elliot knew who the murderer was. That was why she was remaining in Connecticut, until all the excitement had died down. . . .

In the instant of that realization Cilly froze with terror. Where was the man now? How soon would it be until he returned and found her there? Perhaps any minute now, she would see him. She would be face to face with the murderer of Amy Kerr. And she would be just as helpless as Amy had been up there on the roof. . . .

If she waited long enough, she would discover him. But what good would it do her, if she never lived to accuse him?

Quickly she put the topcoat back into the closet. Her hands shook violently. She knew only one thing; that she wanted to get out of this apartment and downstairs just as fast as ever she could. She did not dare go out into the other rooms to search for more clews. She would call Sergeant Dolan immediately and let him do that. . . .

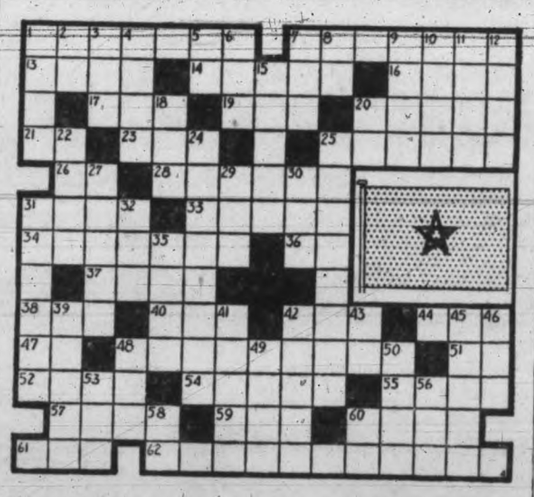
Somewhere a board creaked suddenly. Cilly spun round and stared outside, into the darkness that was the living-room beyond. She could see nothing. She stood still for one dreaful moment. She must go over to the doorway and switch off the light, yet she hesitated. For some reason she didn't want to be left in that dark bedroom to find her way back to the fire escape.

And even as she thought this, her eyes widened in horror. She tried to scream, yet the very breath choked in her throat. For a man's hand—a large, powerful hand—reached in from the living room and turned off the light instead.

The next instant she felt that hand around her throat, and she was dimly conscious of the odor of damp tweeds. . . .

To Be Continued

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured is the flag of ——.
7 This country is under —— and French protectorates.
13 Verbal.
14 Pertaining to tides.
16 Unoccupied.
17 To secure.
19 To hew.
20 To cleanse.
21 Corpse.
23 Dutch measure.
25 Visions.
26 Alleged force.
28 To administer.
31 Ulcer.
33 To rent again.
34 Not aware.
36 Mother.
37 Fairy.
38 Golf device.
40 Toothed tool.
42 High mountain.
44 Mineral spring
47 Morindin dye.
48 Those that degrade.
51 Measure of area.
52 Fastidious.
54 Relieved.
55 The head.
57 Finished.
59 Cravat.
60 Certain.
61 Capital of this country.
62 The majority of its people are ——.

VERTICAL

1 Fashion.
2 Either.
3 Tatter.
4 Olive shrub.
5 Court.
6 Lubricant.
7 Tree fluid.
8 Plural.
9 Egyptian river
10 Thought.
11 To bang.
12 Female fowls.
15 Pertaining to a dower.
18 Beret.
20 Credit.
22 Early.
24 Wedlock.
25 Particularized.
27 To arrange cloth.
29 Born.
30 Jewel.
31 Sidi Mohammed is this country's ——.
32 Female sheep.
35 Bottom of a pulley.
39 To ignore.
41 Rage.
42 To revoke.
43 Pair.
45 Thin plate.
46 Form of "be."
48 Lair.
49 A continent.
50 Potato.
53 Cousin.
56 Constellation.
58 Type standard.
60 Southeast.

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TAU SKIRT SAT
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TARZAN UNDER FIRE

—By Edgar Rice Burroughs

In high spirits the little party crossed the veldt and entered the dark corridors of the forest. Dick and Doc followed Tarzan closely, drinking in every word of jungle lore that fell from his lips. Pretty soon, they thought, they would be real junior Tarzans.

The mighty Jungle Lord taught them how to stalk game, and instructed them in the fine points of archery. Both were apt pupils, and on the fifth day of their journey it was Dick who provided a fine dinner by bringing down a quick young antelope at a water-hole.

On the fifteenth day of their leisurely travels, the dim trail they followed widened suddenly and flowed into a clearing, where stood a small palisaded village. Tarzan, as usual, was intrigued. "We shall see what kind of people live here," he said quietly.

"They might be hostile—that is, I mean—they might be rather unfriendly," Dick faltered. "Of course, I'm not afraid, or anything," Doc put in, "but maybe they're cannibals, and I was thinking. . . ." "We shall see," Tarzan said confidently; come!"

Though they trembled inwardly, Dick and Doc made a display of outward calm as they followed Tarzan into the strange village. To their surprise they found there, not hostile cannibals, but a simple, gentle jungle folk, who received them warmly.

Of more interest to the ape-man was an affair in the centre of the village, where an oily Arab trader was exchanging cheap trinkets and shoddy trade goods for precious ivory. Tarzan strode forward and spoke to the childish blacks: "This man is cheating you!"

Abdul Keb, the trader, snarled angrily. "What business is it of yours?" "Whatever is unjust is my business," the Jungle Lord declared calmly: "and I punish those who deal unfairly with the people of the forest. If you would avoid that punishment, go!"

The Arab feared this strange white savage who spoke with such menacing authority. Quickly he packed up his goods and departed. But in his angry heart burned a desire for revenge, and his crafty mind was already busy with plans to achieve his evil purpose!

The black heart of Abdul Keb was filled with hatred of the strange white man who had interfered with his dishonest ivory trade. He swore revenge, and Abdul Keb was the sort of man who would pursue his purpose to the bitter end. He was a crafty, dangerous foe.

He traveled swiftly, toward a definite goal, but on the way he stopped at several jungle villages and warned the people against the giant savage. "He is an evil creature," said Abdul Keb; "and it would be wise to kill him if he shows himself among you."

Finally he arrived at the forest-circled town which was an army post, and there he reported to the commandant, Captain d'Albert: "There is a strange white man who has come into the district. He is an agitator, spreading the seeds of revolt among the people."

Captain d'Albert frowned. "He will soon know that this is the Belgian Congo. Here law and order must prevail." The officer barked a sharp command to a lieutenant: "Assemble a strong patrol. I'll go after this fellow and get rid of him, one way or another."

With soldiery determination, Captain d'Albert himself led the expedition against the mysterious white savage who had been denounced by Abdul Keb. In all his career as a guardian of law and order in the wilderness, he had never failed to get his man. . . .

. . . Tarzan, of course, was unaware of the commotion he had stirred. He was ignorant of the fact that he was a hunted man. So he continued his leisurely journey in high spirits, followed by his eager, admiring young proteges. "This is the life," Doc exulted.

Jad-bal-ja, Tarzan's trained lion, had wandered off into the jungle to pursue his own devices. And slowly, Dick and Doc, as they gained confidence, dropped behind the ape-man, fascinated by the antics of chattering monkeys that swung and played in the trees.

So it was that Tarzan was alone when he caught the sound of marching men. He walked straight ahead, for he had no reason to avoid them. When Captain d'Albert saw the white giant, he called to his soldiers in a low, tense voice: "On guard! That is our man!"

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—I am 20 years of age and belong to a prosperous family. I have had everything handed to me on a silver platter all of my life and have now my first real steady job, and like it. Am in love with a girl of 18 who has also had everything given her that she wanted. Our families object to our marrying because they think that we are too young and that I could not support a wife. What do you think? Can we two step out in the world and make a go of it when we have always depended upon our parents until now?

UNDECIDED LARRY.

Answer—Of course, it will be possible for two youngsters, one in her teens and the other barely out of his, to cut loose from the parents who have always supported them and marry and make a success of it, but the chances are so enourmously against it that it isn't even a sporting proposition. So my earnest advice to you is to listen to your parents' counsel and wait until you have at least learned to stand on your own feet and proved that you are able to support a wife before you take one.

Wives are expensive luxuries, you know. You haven't any idea that living costs so much and that there are so many bills in the world until you come to grips with the butcher, baker and candlestick-maker, to say nothing of the landlord, the beautician, the doctor and so on. When Papa paid it was one thing. When you have to pay it is another. And quite different.

Of course, you will say that in the past boys and girls of the age of you and your sweetie married and started out in life for themselves, and they got along all right, so why shouldn't you? Perhaps your father and mother married on a shoestring when they were just out of school and look how happy they have been and how they prospered.

True, but the difference between your pioneer ancestors and you and your girl is that they had been hardened to meet life, while you have been softened and protected from it. From the cradle they were on their own. No indulgent parents stood between them and all responsibilities and so when they assumed the burdens of marriage their shoulders were strong enough to bear them.

In those days both men and women were inured to work and sacrifices and to an existence that had few amusements or diversions in it. Of luxuries, as we know them, they had none. When a young couple married they went to a little two-by-four cottage without, likely as not, even a bathtub or running water or a gas stove. The wife did the cooking, washing and scrubbing, patching and baby-tending, and their only amusement was what they found within their homes. They were happy and contented because they had been accustomed to nothing better.

And, furthermore, you are too young to marry, anyway. No boy of 20 and no girl of 18 are sufficiently mature in mind or body to take upon themselves the responsibilities of a family. Their tastes are changing every day and the mates they picked out in their teens they are nearly always tired of in their 20's. They are not ready to settle down. They want to have the good times that belong to their time of life, but that are not compatible with matrimony.

So take your father's advice, son, and don't marry until you have arrived at man's estate. You will save yourself a lot of headaches if you do.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—I am employed by a married man. In our work, it is necessary for me to be with him every day and sometimes as many as 14 hours a day. We have fallen in love with each other, but he claims that he loves his wife dearly and that we both mean so much to him that he would die if either of us left him. I have tried to leave him, but he not only begged me to stay but his wife came to the office and asked me not to leave as I was the finest secretary he had ever had and she felt that I was one of the few she could trust. I stayed, but now I find my love is growing stronger and I must leave. Jobs are hard to find and especially as good a one as this. What shall I do—keep on working and fighting against my love for him, or give up the position I love and take a chance of finding another? I would rather die than break up a home.

A WORRIED SECRETARY.

Answer—In all the world there is no more pitiable figure than that of the fine and honorable woman who falls in love with her employer who is a married man. And this tragedy happens so often, and is so often almost unescapable because the man and woman who work together, day after day; who have the same knowledge, the same interests; who are struggling for the same ends and who come to depend upon each other as comrades do in battle, are thrown together in an intimacy that gives propinquity a chance to do its most deadly work.

DOROTHY DIX.

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HOLD EVERYTHING

"I'm hungry—ya got a match?"

"Hello, Petey! C'mon over, Mama's gone to one of those child training lectures again."

Things Are Getting Pretty Confusing In Europe